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EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

CITY OF LACONIA

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEB. 15, 1901.

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OF THE

RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES

OF THE

CITY OF LACONIA

NEW HAMPSHIRE,

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1901,

TOGETHER WITH OTHER ANNUAL REPORTS AND PAPERS RELATING TO THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY.

LACONIA, N. H.:
LACONIA PRESS ASSOCIATION, PRINTERS.
1901.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS

OF MAYOR EDMUND TETLEY, MARCH 27, 1900.

Gentlemen of the City Council:

It is again my privilege to address you briefly on matters pertaining to the welfare and government of the city. It is not necessary for me to take any considerable time because the reports of the various departments have been printed and these reports in detail give all the necessary information pertaining to our municipal affairs.

A careful examination and consideration of these reports is recommended with a view to making such suggestions for improvement as may occur to you. Each year brings to the consideration of the municipal government new questions for determination and added responsibilities, but we have confidence that they will be met and determined with the same care and attention as heretofore.

Our public school system has been kept up to a high standard, but the same important question confronts this department which did one year ago. I refer to additional school buildings, and from the fact that one of the buildings has recently been nearly destroyed by fire makes an additional problem to be solved on this very vital subject so near to the welfare of the citizens of this community.

I do not think it necessary to call particular attention to the other departments except to recommend that in the street department, in order to carry out the work already commenced, notably in the erection of a stone-crushing plant, and all looking toward the improvement

of our roads and streets, a steam road roller should be immediately purchased. I think it good economy, and money well expended.

The financial condition of the city is the question which demands the most careful consideration on the part of us all. As I suggested in my last address, "how to keep down the public expenditures and the consequent burden of taxation, is a question which interests and concerns every citizen."

How to curtail the expenses and at the same time to meet the necessary requirements of the city's government is a problem in the solving of which exceeding care must be taken. It is my earnest purpose that every expense so far as is consistent with actual necessities and good government shall be reduced during the coming municipal year. The floating indebtedness of the city is a matter which I desire to give particular attention to, with the view if possible of reducing it and of inaugurating a system looking to a steady reduction of this indebtedness.

If this can be satisfactorily brought about I shall feel that our labors have been of service to our fellow citizens.

This council will miss from its numbers the faces of men who have long been prominent in city affairs, and conscientious and painstaking in the discharge of their duties, one of whom until this year has been a member of the council since the inauguration of the first city government. I know I voice the sentiments of you all in expressing to these gentlemen sentiments of highest regard.

To those officers of the city government who retire today, the thanks of the city are due for conscientious and painstaking service. It is my hope that in their new fields of labor they will meet with that success to which their integrity and ability entitles them.

In conclusion, I would express the hope that the coming year may be one of exceeding prosperity to the city and its people. By faithful attention to all of our duties may such results be attained as will redound to our credit individually and to the people of the city whose servants we are.

MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS,

FOR PAYMENT OF BILLS AGAINST THE CITY.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the committee on accounts and claims, and no order will be given for its payment. When bills are certified to as above, and left with the city clerk not later than Thursday, at 12 o'clock m., preceding the last Monday of each month, they will be audited by the committee on accounts and claims, and if approved by them and allowed by the council, will be ready for payment on the following Wednesday, at the office of the city treasurer.

Meetings of the committee on accounts and claims are held on the Friday preceding the last Monday of each month, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., at the city clerk's office.

CITY GOVERNMENT,

LACONIA, N. H.

Inaugurated fourth Tuesday in March, yearly. Stated meetings: the last Monday of each month, at 7.30 o'clock p. m., at the Council Room, Masonic Temple.

1900.

CITY COUNCIL.

MAYOR.

Elected March 13, 1900 for one year. Salary, $300 per annum.

EDMUND TETLEY.

Office: Room 12, Masonic Temple, Main street. Residence: 161 Court street.

COUNCIL.

Ward 1.—FRANK M. SANBORN.*
JOSEPH L. SMITH.†
Ward 2.—RUFUS P. DOW.*
GEORGE H. TILTON.†
Ward 3.—JOSEPH R. CHASE.*
JOHN B. MOORE.†
Ward 4.—CHARLES L. KIMBALL.*
WILLIAM F. KNIGHT.†
Ward 5.—ALFRED C. WYATT.*
WOODBURY L. MELCHER.†

*Elected March 14, 1899, for two years.
†Elected March 13, 1900, for two years.

Ward 6.—GEORGE E. HULL.*
EDWIN D. WARD.*
JOHN R. LEAVITT.†
GEORGE A. SANDERS.†

CLERK.

SIMEON C. FRYE, Ex-Officio.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Finance.—The Mayor, Councilmen Wyatt and Melcher.

Accounts and Claims.—Councilmen Ward, Knight and Moore.

Roads and Bridges.—Councilmen Hull, Smith and Knight.

Public Instruction,—Councilmen Sanborn, Leavitt and Tilton.

Sewers.—Councilmen Leavitt, Kimball and Smith.

Fire Department.—Councilmen Tilton, Ward and Chase.

Lighting Streets.—Councilmen Dow, Leavitt and Kimball.

Parks and Commons.—Councilmen Sanders, Melcher and Tilton.

Police and Licenses.—Councilmen Kimball, Wyatt and Sanborn.

Elections and Returns.—Councilmen Knight, Hull and Smith.

Engrossed Ordinances.—Councilmen Wyatt, Smith and Dow.

Lands and Buildings.—Councilmen Chase, Melcher and Knight.

School Houses and Lands.—Councilmen Melcher, Hull and Chase.

Street Names, Numbers and Guide Boards.—Councilmen Smith, Chase and Dow.

Railroads.—Councilmen Moore, Ward and Sanders.

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*Elected March 14, 1899, for two years.
†Elected March 13, 1900, for two years.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

CITY CLERK.

Salary, $600 per annum and fees as provided by law.

SIMEON C. FRYE.

Office: Room 12, Masonic Temple, Main street.

CITY TREASURER.

Salary, $150 per annum.

ARTHUR W. DINSMOOR.

Office: Laconia National Bank.

CITY SOLICITOR.

Salary, $300 per annum.

STEPHEN S. JEWETT.

Office: Rooms 3-8, Masonic Temple, Main street.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Salary, $700 per annum for the board.

EDWIN F. BURLEIGH.
CHARLES L. PULSIFER.
LEWIS S. PERLEY.

Office: Room 1, Masonic Temple, Main street.

COLLECTOR OF TAXES.

Salary, $600 per annum, conditional on amount collected.

FRED A. YOUNG.

Office: 614 Main street (up stairs).

CITY ENGINEER, SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS AND STREET COMMISSIONER.

Salary, $1,300 per annum.

EDWIN R. DAVIS.

Office: Room 21, Masonic Temple, Main street. Residence: 192 Union avenue.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

For Wards One and Six.

ARTHUR TUCKER.

777 Union avenue.

For Wards Two, Three, Four and Five.

ARTHUR C. S. RANDLETT.

501 Main street.

Salary, $50 each per annum,

CITY PHYSICIAN.

Salary, $50 per annum.

G. H. SALTMARSH, M. D.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Salary, $200 per annum for the board.

President.—D. L. DAVIS.

Residence: 72 Clinton street.

Secretary.—DR. W. H. TRUE.

Office and Residence: 21 Academy street.

CHARLES H. CORLISS.

P. O., The Weirs.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOLS.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Salary, $90 per annum for the board.

WILLIAM A. PLUMMER, *President.*
ALBERT C. MOORE, *Secretary.*

Elected March 8, 1898, for three years.

CHARLES L. PULSIFER.
WILLIAM A. PLUMMER.
ALBERT C. MOORE.

Elected March 14, 1899, for three years.

LYDIA E. WARNER.
MARY GALE HIBBARD.
DENNIS O'SHEA.

Elected March 13, 1900, for three years.

CLIFTON S. ABBOTT.
JOHN G. QUIMBY.
WILLIAM H. FLANDERS.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Salary, $1,200 per annum.

JOSEPH H. BLAISDELL.

PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL.

Salary, $1,200 per annum.

WALTER H. YOUNG.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

TRUSTEES.

JOSEPH H. BLAISDELL, Supt. of Schools (ex-officio).

For term ending March, 1901.

CHARLES F. PITMAN.
CHARLES F. LOCKE.

For term ending March, 1902.

ERASTUS P. JEWELL.
JOHN W. ASHMAN.

For term ending March, 1903.

JOHN T. BUSIEL.
CHARLES L. PULSIFER.

LIBRARIANS.

JULIA S. BUSIEL.
OLIN S. DAVIS.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

Appointed by the Governor of New Hampshire.

FRANK E. BUSIEL.
FRED C. SANBORN.
CHARLES W. VAUGHAN.

CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, $800 per annum.

HENRY K. W. SCOTT.

Office: Room 13, Masonic Temple, Main street.

ASSISTANT CITY MARSHAL.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, $750 per annum.

FRANK A. BAILEY.

POLICE OFFICERS.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Salary, $730 per annum.

BERT M. HUTCHINS. CHARLES E. SMALL.*
CHARLES A. HARVELL. JAMES B. FERNALD.
EDMUND G. HOWE.

SPECIAL POLICE OFFICERS.

Appointed by Police Commissioners. Pay $1.75 each per day of actual service.

FRED R. ADAMS. JOHN H. BOARDMAN.
CHARLES P. CLEMENT. FREEMAN F. ELKINS.
NELSON P. GILMAN. ORRIN H. LEWIS.
THOMAS PARENT. ROBERT E. L. BEAN.
JONATH'N B. CHAPMAN. ALBERT COLBY.
ROBERT S. FOSS. ALBERT GRIFFIN.
SAM. D. McGLOUGHLIN JOHN D. REID.
HORACE E. ROWEN. WILLIAM C. BARTLETT.
EDWIN A. BADGER. EZEKIEL W. GRAY.
FRED O. GOSS. ORVIS T. MUZZEY.
JOHN M. SANBORN. PETER H. TRAINOR.
HENRY L. WILKINSON.* WILLIAM A. SMITH.
GEORGE H. CLARK. FRED L. ROLLINS.
JUDSON A. CUNNINGHAM.

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*Deceased.

POLICE COURT.

POLICE JUSTICE.

Salary, $300 per annum.

GEORGE H. EVERETT.

ASSOCIATE POLICE JUSTICE,

Paid $2 per day of service.

TRUE W. THOMPSON.

CLERK.

Salary, $100 per annum.

MARTIN B. PLUMMER.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CHIEF ENGINEER.

Salary, $100 per annum.

ALBERT W. WILCOX.

ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

Salary, $50 each per annum.

1st—JOHN M. SANBORN.
2d—ALBERT GRIFFIN.
3d—WILLIAM HARRIS.

SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

Salary, $150 per annum.

WILLIAM W. SAUNDERS.

OTHER CITY OFFICERS.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CHECK-LISTS.

Salary, $2 per day of service.

CHAIRMAN.

Elected by City Council, Dec. 31, 1900.

ELMER S. TILTON.

Elected at biennial election, Nov. 6, 1900.

Ward 1.—FREEMAN F. ELKINS.
" *2.*—JOSEPH P. MORIN.
" *3.*—JOHN T. DODGE.
" *4.*—CHARLES A. FALES.
" *5.*—WESLEY J. WEBSTER.
" *6.*—ARTHUR TUCKER.
" BENJAMIN F. DRAKE.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

CHARLES A. BUSIEL.
SAMUEL B. SMITH.
FRANK P. HOLT.

SURVEYORS OF LUMBER.

LEWIS S. PERLEY.
CHARLES F. BROWN.
JAMES FENNELL.
JOHN C. FOGG.
OAKMAN G. VANNAH.
CHARLES A. FALES.
AUSTIN O. FOLSOM.
FRED A. BICKFORD.
CHARLES L. KIMBALL.
WILLIAM J. MORRISON.
PEARL S. LOVEJOY.

MEASURERS OF WOOD AND BARK.

LEWIS S. PERLEY.
HORACE O. BUGBEE.
JAMES FENNELL.
DAVID K. MARSH.
CHARLES F. BROWN.
D. L. DAVIS.
JOHN L. ROBERTS.
GEORGE W. TARLSON.
JOHN C. FOGG.
CHARLES A. YOUNG.
WILLIAM J. MORRISON.
FRED A. BICKFORD.
AUSTIN O. FOLSOM.
ALMON C. LEAVITT.

WEIGHERS OF HAY, STRAW, COAL AND OTHER ARTICLES.

JAMES S. SMITH.
EDWIN L. CHENEY.
ERNEST E. WHITCHER.
DANIEL L. DAVIS.
JOHN PARKER SMITH.
JOHN H. DOW.
HENRY B. QUINBY.
JOSEPH S. MORRILL.
FRANK A. WADLEY.
HORACE E. DURGIN.
DAVID K. MARSH.
LIBBEUS E. HAYWARD.
JOHN L. ROBERTS.
F. GEO. H. OSGOOD.

CULLER OF BRICK.

JONATHAN TILTON.

MEASURERS OF STONE.

STEPHEN B. COLE.
FORREST G. BERRY.
LEWIS S. PERLEY.

INSPECTOR OF PETROLEUM.

EDGAR C. COVELL.

MEASURERS OF BRICK AND PLASTERING.

FORREST G. BERRY.
FRANK M. EASTMAN.

MEASURERS OF PAINTING.

TRUE W. THOMPSON.
OLIVER F. GRIFFIN.

MEASURERS OF CHARCOAL.

JAMES D. SANBORN.
J. A. MITCHELL.

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

EDGAR C. COVELL.
HORACE G. WHITTIER.

FENCE VIEWERS,

LEWIS S. PERLEY.
EDWARD D. SMITH.
CHARLES E. SWAIN.
HARVEY M. SARGENT.

POUND KEEPER.

FRED W. HUSTON.

BOARD FOR EXAMINATION OF PLUMBERS.

EDWIN R. DAVIS.
W. H. TRUE, M. D.
MARTIN G. GURLEY.

LICENSED PLUMBERS.

MARTIN G. GURLEY.
THOS. W. McNAMARA.
THOMAS F. CAVENY.
J. PRENTICE RAND.
JOHN S. MORRISSEY.
CLAYTON V. STANLEY.
JOHN W. BARRETT.
JULIUS E. SANBORN.

LICENSED DRAIN LAYERS.

WYATT M. STEVENS.
GEORGE F. DAME.
WESLEY B. STEVENS.
CHARLES A. YOUNG.

CUSTODIANS OF CITY CLOCKS.

EDGAR C. COVELL.

Paid $40 per annum for care of North church clock.

WALTER D. HEATH.

Paid $50 per annum for care of Park Street church clock.

WARD OFFICERS.

MODERATORS.

Elected Nov. 6, 1900, for two years. Salary, $3 per term.

Ward 1.—JOHN SPALDING.
" *2.*—ALBERT C. MOORE.
" *3.*—CLARENCE E. ROWE.
" *4.*—EDMUND TETLEY.
" *5.*—WILLIAM D. VEAZEY.
" *6.*—EDWIN A. BADGER.

WARD CLERKS.

Elected Nov. 6, 1900, for two years. Salary, $7 per term.

Ward 1.—ALBERT W. HEAD.
" *2.*—ARTHUR E. BERRY.
" *3.*—RALPH B. FRYE.
" *4.*—ROBERT C. DICKEY.
" *5.*—ALFRED C. WYATT.
" *6.*—HARRY L. SMITH.

SELECTMEN.

Salary, $5 per term.

Elected March 8, 1898, for three years.

Ward 1.—WILLIS E. FLOYD.
" *2.*—EDWIN PRONK.
" *3.*—DAVID K. MARSH.
" *4.*—FRANK R. FOLSOM.
" *5.*—SAMUEL J. DICKSON.*
ARCHIE B. SANBORN.†
" *6.*—GEORGE B. AYER.

*Resigned May 28, 1900.
†Elected by City Council, June 27, 1900.

Elected March 14, 1899, for three years.

Ward 1.—FRED W. HUSTON.
" *2.*—FRED L. ROLLINS.
" *3.*—HERMAN DOW.
" *4.*—HERBERT N. CLAY.
" *5.*—WILLIAM M. RICKERT.
" *6.*—LEROY M. GOULD.

Elected March 13, 1900, for three years.

Ward 1.—GEORGE W. TARLSON.
" *2.*—DANA H. ELLIOTT.
" *3.*—WILLIAM FITZGERALD.
" *4.*—CHARLES A. FALES.
" *5.*—RALPH B. GILMAN.
" *6.*—LIBBEUS E. HAYWARD.

INSPECTORS OF ELECTIONS.

Elected Oct. 8, 1900. Paid $2 per day of service.

Ward 1.—GEORGE T. TASKER.
JOHN SPALDING.
FRED F. EASTMAN.
FRED C. TRUE.

Ward 2.—JOSEPH H. MITCHELL.
CHARLES H. McMURPHY.
XAVIER TREMBLAY.
FRANK W. TRULAND.

Ward 3.—GEORGE J. COLLINS.
ELMER D. McCARTHY.
EDWARD J. FITZGERALD.
THOMAS F. RILEY.

Ward 4.—JONATHAN TILTON.
FRANK L. GILMAN.
FRED KEASOR.
WALTER S. LOOMIS.

Ward 5.—EDWARD W. DICKSON.
LESTER PHILBROOK.
JOHN W. ASHMAN.
NAPOLEON J. FECTEAU.

Ward 6.—LEON E. PICKERING.
FRANK W. LOUGEE.
CHARLES L. SIMPSON.
WILLIAM W. WEBSTER.

Ordinances and Resolutions

ORDINANCES.

City of Laconia.—In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

An Ordinance in amendment of "An Ordinance in relation to scavenger service."

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Laconia as follows:

That "An Ordinance in relation to scavenger service" be and hereby is amended by striking out all of section three of said ordinance and inserting in place thereof the following: Section 3. Stones, brick, sand, earth, old iron, paper, paper boxes, trees, limbs, brush, dead animals and offal are not articles properly removable at the public expense and shall not be removed by the scavenger service.

Passed May 28, 1900.

Approved,

E. Tetley, Mayor.

City of Laconia.—In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

An Ordinance in relation to the Public Library.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Laconia as follows:

Section 1. The Board of Trustees of the Laconia Public Library shall consist of seven persons; six members of the board shall be elected by the city council as

hereinafter provided, and the seventh member shall be each superintendent of schools during his term of office. There shall be elected by the present city council six persons as members of said board, two of whom shall be elected for one year, two for two years and two for three years, and thereafter at the commencement of each municipal term two trustees shall be elected for the term of three years. The six persons elected by the present city council and their successors hereafter chosen and the present superintendent of schools and his successors hereafter chosen shall constitute the board of trustees of the Laconia Public Library.

Sec. 2. Said trustees shall have the entire charge and management of the Public Library of the city, and all property of the city relating thereto, and all money raised or appropriated by the city for its support and maintenance, and all money or property that the city may receive by donation from any source or by bequest in behalf of said public library shall be placed in the care and custody of said board of trustees to be expended or retained by them in behalf of the city for the support and maintenance of its public library in accordance with the conditions of each or any donation or bequest accepted by the city. The first board elected as aforesaid as soon as may be after their election, and all succeeding boards thereafter, immediately after the commencement of each municipal term shall meet and organize. They may appoint a librarian and other officers, agents and committees when necessary and fix their salary or compensation, and do any and all things necessary in the discharge of their duties as trustees not inconsistent with the laws of the state of New Hampshire.

Sec. 3. They shall annually in the month of February make an explicit report to the city council of

all their receipts and expenditures for the municipal financial year ending February fifteenth and of all the property of the city in their care and custody, including a statement of any unexpended balance of money they may have, and of any bequests or donations they may have received and are holding in behalf of the city with such recommendations in reference to the same as they may deem necessary for the city council to consider. They shall also make a report annually to the State Board of Library Commissioners in accordance with the statutes of the state, and in all other respects in the discharge of their duties conform to such statutes.

SEC. 4. An ordinance of the city passed and approved June 19, 1893, entitled, "An Ordinance in relation to the Public Library," and "An Ordinance in amendment of An Ordinance in relation to the Public Library," are hereby repealed, and all other ordinances passed by the city council and now in force and inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, and this ordinance shall take effect on its passage and its approval by the mayor, and publication in accordance with law.

Passed July 30, 1900.

Approved,

E. TETLEY, Mayor.

RESOLUTIONS.

City of Laconia.—In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred:

A Resolution raising money and making appropriations for the year ending February 15, 1901.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Laconia as follows:

That the sum of ninety-five thousand dollars ($95,000.00) be raised for the use of the city for the year ending February 15, 1901, by tax on the polls and estates liable to be taxed therein, which together with such unappropriated money as may now be in the treasury, or may hereafter come into it, shall be appropriated as follows, which appropriations shall be in full for all expenditures in each department named:

State tax	$ 9,061.00
County tax	13,722.38
Schools	23,000.00
Highways and bridges ($17,000.00) (horse road roller, $500.00)	17,500.00
Concreting	500.00
Fire department	4,500.00
Hydrant service	2,400.00
Street lighting	6,700.00
Police department	5,100.00
Police court	400.00
Sewer maintenance	1,200.00
Sewer construction	500.00
City engineering	500.00

Public library	$1,000.00
City clocks	200.00
Health department	300.00
Parks	100.00
Memorial day	230.00
Support of poor	800.00
Aid furnished dependent soldiers and their families	100.00
Cottage hospital	500.00
Miscellaneous expenses	2,500.00
Salaries	3,000.00
Interest on bonds and notes	9,500.00
Payment of Nos. 9 and 10 funding bonds	2,000.00
	$105,313.38

In addition to the above the following amounts shall be raised by an extra assessment upon the polls and estates in Ward Six of this city, liable to be taxed therein, and shall be appropriated for the following purposes, viz.:

Payment of Nos. 11 and 12 Ward Six coupon notes	1,000,00
Interest on Ward Six coupon notes	341.25
	$106,654.63

Adopted April 30, 1900.

Approved,

E. Tetley, Mayor.

CITY OF LACONIA.—In the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

A RESOLUTION authorizing the city treasurer to hire money.

Resolved by the City Council of the City of Laconia as follows:

That the city treasurer be and hereby is authorized to hire on the credit of the city a sum of money not exceeding thirty thousand dollars ($30,000.00), for a time not exceeding four months. at a rate of interest not exceeding three per cent. per annum in such sums and at such times as may be required for the payment of outstanding claims as they may be incurred, in anticipation of taxes.

Adopted August 27, 1900.

Approved,

E. TETLEY, Mayor.

Department Reports

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

To the Citizens of Laconia:

Your Board of Education deems it entirely unnecessary to use any considerable space in this report because the reports of the Superintendent of Schools and the teacher of our High school will give you full and accurate information as to the condition of our schools, and we recommend to you the careful reading of these reports.

One thing we wish to call to your attention; your board has succeeded in doing this year what it has done for several years past, namely, it has kept within the appropriation given it by the city council and has not run the city in debt one dollar. Owing to the large amount of supplies that were burned in the Harvard street fire, we were called upon to buy a large amount of supplies that were not contemplated when we asked for the appropriation. So that it has been somewhat difficult to keep within our appropriation, but we were resolved to do it at all hazards, and by the watchful care of our most excellent superintendent, J. H. Blaisdell, we have been able to do so.

The past school year has been fortunate in that it has not been interrupted by contagious disease. In the middle of last winter Harvard street school house was burned, but by the courtesy and generosity of Father Hennon, who provided us with school rooms in the convent building, the school work was not seriously interfered

with. During the summer and early fall the Harvard street building was rebuilt and the pupils in that section are now provided with the finest school building in the city. We are still hiring three school rooms at an annual expense of four hundred and fifty dollars ($450), and this brings us to the same proposition that we have annually presented to you for several years, namely, the want of more school houses in Laconia. Undoubtedly we may have called attention to this matter so often in the annual reports that you may be tired of reading it, but we feel that we should not perform our whole duty if we did not call the attention of citizens to the great and crying need of more school houses in the city. We are paying in rent for poor and unsuitable rooms what would about pay the interest on $15,000.

We appeal to the business men of our city and ask you if the city is managing its affairs in reference to these school houses the way you would manage your own private business? What is needed is a new school building in Lakeport and another one in the Laconia end of the city. Bnt your school board cannot build school houses; all it can do is to call your attention to what is needed, and your board has endeavored to perform its full duty in this respect for several years, but thus far without results. We do not believe our schools were ever in so good condition as they are now in and we think you will agree with us if you will take pains to visit the schools of our city.

There have been few changes in the teaching force in our schools during the past year, which has been of great advantage, and it is the hope of your board that these teachers may continue their work in our midst for a long time, for we consider that they cannot be excelled by any body of teachers in the state. The teachers of our schools are doing a good work in our community and they need your co-operation and encouragement; and we would

especially ask the parents of scholars to become thoroughly acquainted with teachers of their children, visit the schools, invite teachers into your homes, make them to feel that you have an interest in them and their work and encourage them in every way that you can. Their lives are full of difficulties and perplexities that weary the body and exhaust the vital energies, and it is your duty and ought to be your pleasure to throw all the sunshine into their lives that you can, for they are engaged in educating and training the minds of those that are precious to you above all things else.

We would call to your especial attention this year our High school. It has been the earnest desire of your board to have in Laconia a high school that all of our citizens would be proud of and be glad to patronize. We feel confident in saying that we now have such a high school and are sure that it will compare well with any in the state, and our young men and women are now being fitted for college at home in our own school where they can enjoy all the advantages which they can obtain abroad. We feel that Mr. Young is doing a good work in our midst and he should have the encouragement and support of every friend of education in Laconia.

In conclusion we will say, it is the purpose of your board to not only maintain the high standard of our schools, but we desire to raise them to a still higher degree of excellence. To do this we must have the co-operation of every friend of education in the city; this we most earnestly ask for. If you know of any way that our schools can be improved give us the benefit of your knowledge, experience and judgment, for let us remember that we are educating and training in our schools to-day those who in the future will hold in their power the destiny of our beloved city.

William A. Plummer,
President of Board of Education.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

To the Board of Education:

I have the honor of presenting my fourth annual report of the schools of this city.

In every community the education and training of children should be of paramount importance. These interests are largely given into the hands of the teachers and school officers, and, if everything works smoothly they attract very little attention from the average citizen.

I can report a goodly measure of success as far as harmony, progress and zeal on the part of the teachers go, but we have in a measure been hindered in carrying out our plans for the year by the unexpected draft upon the school funds by the fire at Harvard street. It had been our intention to increase our supply of supplementary literature and add somewhat to the physical apparatus in the High school as a necessary step in strengthening the science department which needs attention in building up and supplying it with the proper apparatus for modern experiments and requirements.

The loss from the fire amounted to at least a thousand dollars in books, maps, charts, school furniture and supplies. We have already expended nearly seven hundred dollars and still there are many things we need. This does not include expense for moving and fitting up temporary quarters elsewhere while the old building was undergoing repairs. This money has come from our regular appropriation and with an eye ever to the fact that it should not be exceeded we have labored to curtail at every possible point even at the expense of unfulfilled

plans and wishes. At the time of the fire we were confronted by a somewhat difficult problem to house properly the pupils thus made homeless. It was necessary to find rooms not too far from Harvard street or else it would incur hardships to the pupils especially during the winter months and more particularly upon those of the lower grades.

Four of the eight grades were located in the High school hall and recitation room adjoining. This seemed the best we could do under the circumstances; the other four grades were placed in rooms secured at the parochial buildings through kindness of Father Hennon, rent free, the expense to the city being for such changes as were necessary in moving and fitting with desks which were saved from the fire and increasing the sanitary conveniences for so large a number of pupils.

Monday, October 22, the Harvard street building was was reoccupied. The changes made in rebuilding were all in the nature of improvements; heat, light and ventilation were carefully studied and the house as it now stands is a credit to the city and to the gentlemen concerned in its repair.

The need of a new school building is no less pressing today than it has been for several years. We are still renting three rooms at a cost of $450 and they are among the poorest in the city; one of them is as unattractive as a barn and no self-respecting citizen of Laconia would care to take a visitor to such a place. I am happy to say the school work done there bears no resemblance to the immediate surroundings.

It was suggested when the Harvard street house was being repaired that its size be increased to accommodate all or part of those pupils now attending at Chase's block or Court street, but it was seen that the location was too far from the true centre to be desirable. We need a house not very far from the corner of Baldwin street and Union avenue. Many children come down Pine street

who would thus be saved a long walk as at present; besides we shall soon need another primary, room as that at Bowman street has been overcrowded for some time and that condition is continually growing worse.

The number of pupils in our schools while not any larger than for some years past, is scarcely less. The grades are perceptibly less at School and Washington streets but larger than usual in some of the other grades. Lakeport sends more pupils to the high school from year to year, and Weirs has four pupils there at present with one in the ninth grade at Lakeport. Since September the scholars at the Oaks have been transported to Lakeport and placed in their proper grades. These changes may lead to greater expense in transportation but are more than offset by economies in other directions, besides being of advantage to the pupils themselves.

The attendance throughout the year has been fairly good though not remarkably so. The winter of 1900 was very severe and caused a great deal of absence both from the severity of the storms and the unusual condition of the walking. After the fire the grades at Harvard street suffered in attendance on account of the increased distance the children were obliged to walk, and their record is perceptibly lower for that reason. The cases of tardiness have certainly reached a low figure and it can be said that if our teachers bring their standard of excellence in all other lines of school work to the same degree of perfection we may rest assured that their places are well filled. By glancing at the table of statistics it can be seen that some of our teachers can yet make progress in this direction while there are others who can not reasonably expect a better showing; it is to the latter we owe our good average result.

Since our last annual report about the usual number of changes have occurred in our teaching force. Mr. Walter Leroy Smith of the commercial department re-

signed near the close of the winter term, the vacancy remaining unfilled. The work was put in charge of Miss Alice M. Davis, a practical stenographer and typewriter of this city and Mrs. W. H. Young who more recently was elected assistant for the present school year. During the summer vacation we received the resignation of Misses Tucker and Steele. A year's leave of absence was granted to Misses Chase, Plummer and Drew. Miss Locke of Chelsea, Mass., was secured to take Miss Chase's place and the ninth grade at Lakeport was put in charge of Miss Greenough of Newton, Mass. Miss Hawkins who has substituted for some little time took Miss Drew's grade. Miss Fox who had taught three years at the Weirs took charge of the grades formerly taught by Miss Plummer at Gilford avenue. One or two transfers of teachers were made among those who have been with us for some years. There will always come more or less changes from year to year from the very nature of things. We have also lost two very promising teachers through marriage. It has been the aim of the committee having the matter of filling such vacancies in charge to take the most promising candidates. Believing the success of any school lies largely in the hands of the teacher and that she can make it a success or otherwise, it becomes certainly incumbent upon superintendent and school board to make no mistake in procuring a new teacher. Those teachers who have been in the employ of a city for a term of years are in a measure entitled to reëlection from year to year unless their work falls below a certain standard of excellence. It does not necessarilly follow that a teacher, unsuccessful in one school may not meet with better success in another. Often-times a change of surroundings brings success. There is no person in a community more to be pitied than a teacher struggling with a school of which she is not a complete master. Scholarship alone by no means insures a teacher's success; she must be endowed

with an adequate amount of ability known as school management, in fact it comes first as a qualification for the average teacher; this being so, the best possible education on the part of the teacher will not necessarily make her a success. She must have certain inate qualities,—love of children, and firmness, evenness of disposition and strength of character. Some teachers are recommended because they love children; that is well in its place but often leads to over-indulgence and disorder in a school room. Give me kindness, absolute fairness and a firmness which must be as often practiced as anything, with a determination that the child must do his best work at all times and usually we have a teacher who will make a success of her work. More teachers fail from lack of properly governing their schools than from any other cause; some fail from ignorance of how to do school work,—for the latter I recommend a Normal school training. A superintendent has no time to show a teacher about the multitude of details that come in her work and about those matters that might take her months or even years to learn at a training school. A man who secures a situation as a carpenter knows how to drive nails, plane and saw without the assistance of his overseer. So it should be with the teacher; she should know how best to present arithmetic and geography to her class without minute instruction from the superintendent. One of the troubles with a teacher without special training is that she teaches just as she was taught herself when in school, which may or may not be right. She follows models of which she knows rather than the best or the accepted methods of the present day. In the higher grammar grades besides the qualities spoken of above we should have a teacher possessed of a very good knowledge of the high school work, even to be able to do that part of it which is in direct line with her own, as algebra, English and history. In these grades we may expect culture, a good under-

standing of many subjects which may lead to inspiring talks to the pupils upon subjects apart from the study at hand, as occasion may sometimes require. I would even prefer college-trained teachers here as well as in the high school. It may be that the difference in the educational training of the grammar school and high school teacher may be a considerable factor in rendering more difficult the change from grammar school to high school work.

Modern school methods have introduced subjects into the school curriculum unknown to the fathers and mothers of the children now in school, as music and drawing and the like. They are believed to be of educational value and tend to develop results of value which our people in the immediate future need to possess. With this multiplicity of studies we must not lose sight of the fact that the health of the child must not suffer from too much study. In our struggle for improvement along educational lines we must be ever mindful that health is of first importance even from the point of view of the teacher as all the greater progress can be made by the pupil in robust health.

In conclusion I would call attention to the appended reports of Mr. Young of the High school, Miss Nelson and Mr. Osgood of drawing and music respectively. I think they have labored hard for the best interests of their pupils in their several fields.

To all the teachers I wish to express my appreciation of their work, their ready response to suggestions and hearty co-operation.

To the Board of Education much credit is due for their labor in the interests of the schools and I must express my thanks for their support and help rendered me in the discharge of my duties.

Respectfully submitted,

J. H. Blaisdell,

Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Names of Teachers.	Number pupils exclusive of duplicate enrollment.		Average number belonging.	Average daily attendance.	Percentage of daily attendance.	Number of visitors.	Cases of tardiness.
	Boys.	Girls.					
High School Building.							
Walter H. Young	40	83	104	99	.9555	96	378
Gorda N. Bean	26	23	43	41	.9574	41	43
Ethyle N. Hawkins	16	22	31	28	.9232	27	48
Blanche N. Abbott	11	33	39	38	.9653	87	10
Court Street.							
Mrs. E. S. Cook	21	17	30	28	.9198	18	64
Flora B. Locke	18	28	34	32	.9270	23	42
Bowman Street.							
Ethel M. Carley	23	31	40	37	.9346	74	36
Mertie B. Sanborn	33	28	43	40	.9363	72	55
Nellie F. Moulton	21	25	35	33	.9411	94	24
S. Gertrude Sanders	49	45	52	49	.9346	99	64
Gilford Avenue.							
Alida L. A. Fox	30	19	39	36	.9308	67	22
Bertha L. Dame	28	22	36	34	.9559	56	29
Georgia E. Page	25	23	35	34	.9639	88	16
Gertrude E. Smith	30	35	38	35	.9359	61	31
Harvard Street.							
Maud A. Powell	18	16	28	25	.9001	4	23
Blanche Weymouth	17	25	34	31	.9090	17	41
Mrs. Florence E. Puffer	27	28	49	46	.9227	7	12
Susie R. Ham	29	10	38	35	.9050	13	20
Chase Block.							
Mrs. H. L. Durgin	21	35	39	37	.9444	57	11
Mechanic Street.							
Flora M. Greenough	19	21	33	31	.9537	125	7
Emma E. Morse	19	15	28	26	.9326	54	34
Mabelle M. Lang	23	27	41	39	.9320	91	25
Sarah E. Sturtevant	19	24	37	35	.9444	74	27
Pear Street.							
Mrs. J. G. Quimby	27	25	35	32	.9050	60	56
School Street.							
Grace M. Brown	22	29	39	36	.9241	104	84
Washington Street.							
Carrie E. Drake	13	16	24	23	.9627	126	26
Lillie E. Busiel	20	18	28	26	.9548	83	55
Weirs.							
Bessie B. Sargent	22	12	28	23	.8446	52	34
Crockett.							
Mrs. O. E. C. Swain	21	6	19	17	.8898	36	13
White Oaks.							
*Bessie B. Sargent	3	5	7	6	.8333	42	39
Totals	691	746†	1106	1032	.9330	1848	1369

*Discontinued in September, 1900. †Boys and Girls, 1437.

LIST OF TEACHERS

At Present Employed, Together With Their Grades, the Dates When Their Services Began, and their Salaries.

Name.	Grade.	Date.		Salary.
Walter H. Young	High School	September,	1899	$1,200
Mrs. W. H. Young	High School	"	1900	500
Albert Angus Griffin	High School	"	1899	500
Laura A. Smith	High School	"	1896	600
Mary R. Moulton	High School	"	1899	600
Gorda N. Bean	IX	"	1894	432
Flora M. Greenough	VIII and IX	"	1900	432
Maud A. Powell	VII and VIII	"	1894	432
Ethyle N. Hawkins	VIII	"	1900	432
Emma E. Morse	VI and VII	"	1891	432
Blanche N. Abbott	VII	"	1892	432
Blanche Weymouth	V and VI	"	1895	360
Alida L. A. Fox	V and VI	"	1897	360
Mrs. M. E. Cook	VI	"	1896	360
Mabelle M. Lang	V and VI	"	1898	360
Carrie E. Drake	IV and V	"	1893	360
Flora B. Locke	V	"	1900	360
Ethel M. Carley	IV	"	1897	360
Bertha L. Dame	III and IV	"	1899	360
Mrs. Florence E. Puffer	III and IV	"	1899	360
Lillie A. Busiel	II and III	January,	1894	360
Sarah E. Sturtevant	III and IV	April,	1888	360
Mertie B. Sanborn	III	March,	1898	360
Nellie F. Moulton	II	September.	1897	360
Georgia E. Page	II	March,	1892	360
Susie R. Ham	I and II	September,	1895	360
Grace M. Brown	I	"	1897	360
Mrs. J. G. Quimby	I and II	January,	1898	360
Gertrude E. Smith	I	September,	1895	360
S. Gertrude Sanders	I	"	1900	360
Mrs. H. L. Durgin	I and II	"	1897	360
Bessie B. Sargent	Ungraded	"	1899	360
Mrs. O. E. C. Swain	Ungraded	"	1896	324
Lucy N. Nelson	Supt. drawing	"	1894	375
Fred H. Osgood	Supt. music	"	1899	500

STATISTICS FOR SCHOOL YEAR, 1900.

Length of school in weeks	36
Number of different pupils registered in high school	123
Number of different pupils registered in ungraded schools	69
Number of different pupils registered in graded schools below high	1,245
Number of pupils under six years of age	93
" " over sixteen years of age	100
" " between six and sixteen	1,244
School buildings	11
School rooms in school buildings	30
Rooms leased for school purposes	3
Sittings	1,442
Instances of tardiness	1,369
Number of visits by parents, citizens and others	1,848
Number of visits by Superintendent	412
Number of pupils who have attended to the study of	
Reading	1,299
Spelling	1,299
Writing	1,299
Arithmetic	1,299
Language	1,299
Geography	835
History	571
Drawing	1,287
Music	1,384
Latin	31
French	48
Greek	12
Algebra	143
Geometry	35
Bookkeeping	35
Shorthand	8
Typewriting	9

REPORT OF PRINCIPAL OF HIGH SCHOOL.

Mr. J. H. Blaisdell, Superintendent of Schools.

DEAR SIR:—I submit herewith my second annual report as Principal of the High school.

The work of the past year has gone forward in accord with carefully formulated plans. In English, history, modern languages, the classics and mathematics, the school now fully meets the requirements of the best New England colleges. The college requirement is here mentioned only as a generally recognized standard: preparation for college is only one feature; the work of the school is shaped as well to meet the needs of those whose scholastic training ends with the High school. For this reason I wish to emphasize the imperative necessity of good laboratories. I firmly believe that for the boy who does not go to college or technical school, no one subject—except English—begins to approach in importance the study of science. Text book science is usually repulsive and unprofitable; good laboratory methods, in which each pupil performs the experiments for himself, are both highly instructive and very fascinating. We can improve our work in science by securing more apparatus and by consecutive courses running through the four years. The chemical laboratory is well equipped. The physical laboratory should be placed in good working order, while we have almost nothing for botany. I am very anxious, also, to have a good strong course in biology. For the last two sciences the cost of fitting up a good working laboratory would be comparatively small.

The percentage of attendance for the past term was .9733, a considerable increase over the corresponding term of last year. The instances of tardiness during the fall term for the last three years, are: 1898, 262; 1899, 121; 1900, 86; while the decrease is perceptible, the number is still too large.

Although there is no room that can be set apart entirely for gymnasium purposes, yet there is ample space in the hall for parallel bars, horizontal bars and eight or ten chest weights.

Storm doors and windows for the two upper floors, at least, would enable the different rooms and halls to be kept at a uniform temperature, and at the same time would be a source of economy to the city.

By making music elective with free-hand drawing, the grade of work in music has been raised and those pupils who cannot sing and who would be a hindrance to the progress of the class, are no longer idle but profitably employed. The rhetorical work of the school is well done by the two debating clubs and the literary society. These are officered and managed by the pupils. It remains for the school to assume its proper position in athletics.

The total number of recitations per week for this year is 125. This number is likely to be increased another year. The Senior history class, of nineteen members, made a thorough study of Montgomery's Student's History of the United States, during the fall term; the work for the rest of the year is based upon Adam's European History.

The enrollment for the present year shows eighty-two pupils in the three upper classes. The usefulness of the school is thus greatly enlarged by holding its pupils. Indeed, after a careful comparison of statistics, I am fully convinced that the Laconia high school has as good a representation in the upper classes as the best

Massachusetts schools have. But numbers are only one index; in all respects, in my judgment, the work of the school is much better than it was a year ago. By arousing the interests of the pupils, by carefully systematizing and harmonizing the different departments, and by the hearty co-operation of all the teachers, the school will continue to advance in efficiency.

WALTER H. YOUNG,
Principal.

APPENDIX TO THE REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Teachers.

WALTER H. YOUNG, A. M., Principal,
Latin, Greek.

ALBERT ANGUS GRIFFIN, A. B.,
Science, Geometry, Latin.

LAURA A. SMITH,
French, German, History.

MARY R. MOULTON,
English, History, Latin.

NELLIE GRAY YOUNG,
Algebra, Science, Commercial Studies.

FRED H. OSGOOD,
Vocal Music.

LUCY N. NELSON,
Drawing.

FRANKLIN A. JAMES,
Janitor.

Senior Class.

Ethel Theodate Burpee, Classical.
Bertha Abbie Cole, English.
Virginia Louise Cole, Classical.
Inez Lucilla Ginn, Classical.
Olive Beatrice Greenwood, Commercial.
Jennie Eliza Haines, English.
Rena Sylvia Hezelton, English.
Norma Augusta Hill, English.
Park Rowe Hoyt, Literary.
Rena Georgia Hunt, English.
Florence Annie Mildred Leavitt, English.
Florence May Leighton, Classical.
Jessa Saunders McDaniel, English.
Georgia Evelyn Meader, English.
John Morton Meserve, English.
Ethel Winnifred Moore, English.
Edith May Rice, Commercial.
Phil Madison Riley, English.
Nettie Ella Sargent, Commercial.
Annie Christina Sullivan, Commercial.
Evelyn Gilman Tucker, Literary.
John Turcott, English.
Thomas Theodore Weeks, Classical.

Junior Class.

John Alexander Belford, Classical.
Dora Ellsworth Berry, English.
Ethel Grace Brownsett, Literary.
Joseph Cushing, English.
Stephen Salisbury Cushing, English.
Laura Maude Emery, Literary.
Roscoe Eugene Follett, Commercial.
Ethel Belinda Goodwin, English.
Edith Tilton Gorrell, English.
Cornelia Austin Haynes, Literary.

Nellie Austin Holahan, Literary.
Cecelia Poor Jones, English.
Sadie Elsie Lamprey, English.
Bernice Lillian Lougee, Classieal.
Edith Redington Moore, English.
Elmer Orrin Prescott, English.
Edwin Jay Roberts, Literary.
Nettie May Sanborn, English.
Charlotte Louise Story, Classical.
Blanche Webster, Commercial.
Caroline May Wilkinson, English.

Sophomore Class.

Harold Aiken, Classical.
Blanche Mamie Bagley, English.
Carl Horace Barber, Commercial.
Lora Anna Beauchmin, Classical.
Bertha Edith Blaisdell, English.
Grace Maude Cate, English.
Allie Wilbur Cheney, English.
Winnifred Belle Clement, English.
Charles Clayton Clough, English.
Jennie Ethel Clow, Commercial.
Hortense Elizabeth Collins, Literary.
Delia Angeline Cummings, Commercial.
Lucilla Bugbee Davis, Literary.
Leon Fred Dexter, Commercial.
William Donagan, Commercial.
Mamie Catherine Edgerly, English.
Frank Albert Edwards, Jr., Commercial.
Jessie Frances Edwards, Commercial.
Nathaniel Henry Edwards, Commercial.
Eva May Elliott, Literary.
Ned Adniram Farrar, Classical.
Mildred Beatrice Foster, Literary.
Kate Louise Haserick, English.

Agnes Donovan Jaclard, Classical.
Daisy Cross Judd, Commercial.
Bernice Arline Leavitt, Literary.
Arthur Leon Lewis, English.
Josephine Clifford Moore, English.
Elizabeth Mary Agnes O'Shea, Classical.
Nellie Josephine Richardson, English.
George Albert Ringer, Commercial.
Emma Mae Roberts, English.
Ella Claude Shannon, Classical.
Marion Frances Smith, Literary.
Walter Edwin Wakefield, Commercial.
Maud Henry Wallis, Commercial.
Nathalia Andrew Whittier, Literary.

Freshman Class.

Albert Grant Abbott, Book-keeping.
Charles Herbert Barlow, Latin.
Florence Marion Bryant, Latin.
Frank Henry Whipple Cass, Book-keeping.
Beulah Josephine Cate, Book-keeping.
Mellie Albina Calderwood, Latin.
Frank Chase, Latin.
Harry Clement, Book-keeping.
John Nelson Converse, Latin.
John Thayer Cushing, Latin.
Norman Curtis, Book-keeping.
Beatrice Davis, Latin.
Mabelle Davis, Book-keeping.
Maude Mildred Easter, Book-keeping.
Virgie Ethel Dorr, Latin.
Cyrus Whitcomb Emery, Latin.
Algia Farrar, Book-keeping.
Maude Farrar, Latin.
John Thurston Farwell, Latin.
Mary Josephine Finn, Book-keeping.

Owen Frances Flanders, Latin.
Charlotte Josephine Flint, Latin.
Carrie French, Latin.
Mildred Caroline Gilman, Latin.
Oscar Jean George, Book-keeping.
Daniel Mark Glidden, Latin.
Helen Mildred Greenwood, Book-keeping.
Sada Francis Hall, Latin.
Fernando Olen Heath, Book-keeping.
Lawrence Mortimer Hoyt, Latin.
Carl Joseph Hunkins, Latin.
Norma Louise Jerry, Latin.
Ethel Kilborn, Book-keeping.
Gerry Reed Locke, Latin.
Thomas Harold Lowe, Latin.
Josie Mae Mathews, Book-keeping.
Hattie Merrill, Book-keeping.
Arthur Dennis O'Shea, Latin.
Frank Page, Book-keeping.
Jane Ina Pearson, Book-keeping.
Ida Picard, Latin.
Ethel Pickering, Latin.
Edith Piper, Latin.
Gertrude Edwina Plummer, Latin.
Guy Rayvurn Risley, Book-keeping.
Roger Sherman Robinson, Latin.
Clarence George Sharpe, Latin.
Anna Irene Shaw, Latin.
William Stafford, Book-keeping.
Marion Walker Story, Latin.
Bernard Sullivan, Latin.
Edward Sullivan, Latin.
David Josiah Wilkinson, Latin.

STATISTICS.

TABLE A, SHOWING ENROLLMENT BY CLASSES.

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Seniors	5	19	24
Juniors	6	15	21
Sophomores	12	25	37
Freshmen	27	26	53
Total	50	85	135

TABLE B, SHOWING ENROLLMENT BY COURSES.

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Classical	4	11	15
Literary	2	12	14
English	9	27	36*
Commercial	8	9	17
Latin	17	16	33
German	0	0	0
Bookkeeping	10	10	20
Total	50	85	135

*Twenty-five in this course are taking either Latin, French or German.

TABLE C, ENROLLMENT BY SUBJECTS.

SUBJECTS.	Senior.		Junior.		Sophomore.		Freshmen.		Total.	
	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.	Boys.	Girls.
English	5	19	6	15	12	25	27	26	50	85
Latin	2	6	2	5	3	14	16	17	23	42
Greek	1	4	1	2	2	5	..	..	4	11
French	4	9	1	10	..	4	..	..	5	23
German	1	..	2	2	.	4	..	..	3	6
Ancient History	..	..	..	..	..	..	27	26	27	26
English History	..	..	..	..	10	16	..	..	10	16
Senior History	4	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	15
Freshmen Algebra	..	..	..	1	1	1	25	26	26	28
Junior Algebra	2	4	4	10	..	..	..	..	6	14
Geometry	..	..	3	3	10	25	..	..	13	28
Bookkeeping	..	6	..	2	..	..	8	8	8	16
Commercial Law	..	..	..	..	10	8	..	1	10	9
Chemistry	.	..	4	11	..	..	..	..	4	11
Physics	5	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	9
Botany	1	3	..	..	9	13	..	..	10	16
Astronomy	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3

REPORT OF DRAWING TEACHER.

Mr. J. H. Blaisdell, Superintendent of Schools:

Our exhibition last June proved that our schools are making advancement in their drawing. We selected for that exhibition, drawings that would show especially the new lines of work introduced in the last two years: figure drawing, drawings in colored crayons, ink work, charcoal drawings and designs colored in different harmonies.

Much credit is due the High school pupils for the color work, when we consider the fact that they can work only forty minutes at one time on these designs. Charcoal drawing was introduced last year in January in the Sophomore class, and that medium was used the remainder of the year, with results as seen at the exhibition. This year the sophomores have just begun with the charcoal and we have reason to expect better results than were obtained last year.

Besides the new work, we still have in our course model drawing in outline, light and shade with the pencil and constructive drawing, which includes geometric problems, working drawings of objects and the development and making of the objects from the working drawings.

Drawing is of practical value. A physician said: "There is no better training for a physician than drawing;" at an exhibition of drawing, a dealer in hardware remarked "I have wished many times that I knew how to draw."

Since our last report many of the schools have placed

new pictures on the walls of their rooms. In some rooms a new picture has been added for three and in one case for four years. These pictures make the school-rooms much more attractive, the pupils are interested in them and must gain something from having these reproductions from masters in art constantly before them. A bust of Washington placed in room ten, is the addition made to the decorations in the High school.

I wish to thank the teachers for their help in June, as well as through the year, and the superintendent for his kindnesss. Respectfully submitted,

LUCY N. NELSON.

REPORT OF MUSIC TEACHER.

Mr. J. H. Blaisdell, Superintendent of Schools:

There is nothing particularly new to note since my last report.

The work in this department has been carried on along the same lines as were mapped out in September, 1899, on my assuming charge of it.

We are well equipped with books and charts, the old books some of which had been in use for ten years having recently been replaced by new ones. The work has been more uniform this year, the corresponding grades in different parts of the city having covered, in some cases, exactly the same work.

As each new problem in time or tune has presented itself, I have tried to develop it by selecting all the exercises and songs containing that particular problem and presented it in the different keys and under all different conditions possible; for instance, when we first come to sharp four, we find it if possible in each one of the first nine keys; by so doing pupils have become thoroughly familiar with it and are ready for something new which, in turn, is treated in the same manner. This plan has enabled us to cover more ground in thirty-six weeks than could have been covered had we been constantly finding several new problems all in the same lesson. In other words, we have made a specialty of that one thing until we have mastered it.

In the matter of two voice singing the plan of last year has been continued, the class being divided as evenly as possible and the first division singing first part

on one exercise and second part on the next and so on. By so doing each division gets practically the same work. Of course this plan can not be continued after the third part (Alto) is introduced.

The matter of accent has been emphasized and dwelt upon to such an extent that I feel sure that our time is much better than last year, but we hope to make it still better.

But little supplementary music has been bought this year, the most of our work being on exercises and songs contained in the "Normal Music Course," but I think a few well chosen selections might brighten up the work and relieve the monotony. The work in the grades as a whole has been very encouraging and with a few exceptions, there has been a disposition on the part of all to sing.

One thing very gratifying to me as well as pleasing to the public, was the work done by the boys' chorus at the graduating exercises last June. All the chorus work was good at that time, but the boys' chorus (unaccompanied), was specially pleasing and they deserved all the compliments they received.

I have been very fortunate in having the assistance of so able a staff of regular teachers; they have done all in their power to second my efforts and I give them credit for faithful work; without their co-operation but little could be accomplished and I wish to thank all who have helped to make the work pleasant and successful.

Respectfully submitted,

FRED H. OSGOOD.

PROGRAMME.

MONDAY A. M.

9.05. Miss Smith, Gilford avenue.
9.25. Miss Page, Gilford avenue.

9.45. Miss Dame, Gilford avenue.
10.05. Miss Fox, Gilford avenue.
10.40. Mrs. Durgin, R. R. square.
11.10. Mrs. Cook, Court street.
11.30. Miss Locke, Court street.

MONDAY P. M.

1.30. Miss Ham, Harvard street.
1.50. Mrs. Puffer, Harvard street.
2.15. Miss Weymouth, Harvard street.
2.23. Miss Powell, Harvard street.
3.20. High School.

TUESDAY A. M.

9.05. Miss Brown, School street.
9.35. Mrs. Quimby, Pear street.
10.05. Miss Sturtevant, Mechanic street.
10.45. Miss Lang, Mechanic street.
11.05. Miss Morse, Mechanic street.
11.30. Miss Greenough, Mechanic street.

TUESDAY P. M.

1.30. Miss Abbott, Academy street.
1.55. Miss Hawkins, Academy street.
2.45. Miss Busiel, Washington street.
3.05. Miss Drake, Washington street.

WEDNESDAY A. M.

9.05. Miss Sanders, Bowman street.
9.25. Miss Moulton, Bowman street.
9.45. Miss Sanborn, Bowman street.
10.05. Miss Carley, Bowman street.

WEDNESDAY P. M.

11.05. Miss Bean, Academy street.
Mrs. Swain, Crockett school.
Miss Sargent, The Weirs.

REPORT OF CITY SOLICITOR.

To the City Council:

I have the honor to submit my eighth annual report as City Solicitor. During the past year many litigated cases have occupied the attention of this department. As stated in my last report, what is known as the tax cases, being petitions for abatement of taxes instituted by the Winnipiseogee Lake Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Company against the city, are still undecided.

Since my last report another petition of like character has been filed so that there are now pending seven petitions which are awaiting a decision from the court. I am unable to give any definite information as to when a decision will be rendered.

Of the other cases pending on the docket of the Supreme Court at the time of my last report, that of Samuel W. Prescott against the city, being an appeal from the assessment of damages awarded by the County Commissioners for land of the plaintiff's taken in constructing the Weirs Boulevard has been tried by jury and a verdict for nine hundred and fifty dollars given in favor of the plaintiff.

In the matter of the petition of A. F. Rogers and others for a new highway in Laconia, Gilford and Belmont over Marsh Hill, in which a hearing was had before the County Commissioners in the summer of 1899, and a report made by the commissioners in favor of the laying out of a new highway, to take the place of the present highway over Marsh Hill, the judgment on the report has been vacated, and the matter has been disposed of by the

withdrawal of the petition, the City of Laconia paying fifty dollars as its share of the expense in the disposal of the petition, which seems to me to be a very good ending of the proceeding so far as the city is concerned.

In the suit of Leopold Leduc against the city, mentioned in my last report, which was an actlon of trespass on account of the laying out of Beech street, judgment on the report of the referee was rendered at the November term of the Supreme Court.

In the matter of the petition of J. B. Mathews and others for a new street leading off from South Court street also mentioned in my last report, judgment has been rendered on the report of the County Commissioners for the laying out of the street.

At the November term of the Supreme Court, a hearing was had on the petition of Mr. George Sleeper to bring forward the Mathews petition, so as to get a further hearing; the court denied the motion.

At the May term of the Supreme Court, a trial was had upon the petition of James W. Fellows for an assessment of damages claimed on account of the change of grade of Gilford Avenue. Judgment was rendered in favor of the city, with costs against the petitioner to the amount of thirty dollars and forty-four cents.

Since my last report the following new suits being petitions for damages growing out of the closing of a portion of Gold street have been entered in court in favor of the following parties, viz. Mary A. Lougee, and Katie M. Cushing.

A petition for assessment of damages by George Sleeper on account of improvements made in River street several years ago, and a similar petition by Ella Eastman for an assessment of damages on account of a change of the grade of North street have also been entered in court.

The Eastman case has been tried by jury who awarded Miss Eastman the sum of two hundred and eighty-

three dollars and thirty-three cents. The Sleeper case has been referred to the County Commissioners, and a trial will be had during the coming season.

Of the other suits pending in the Supreme Court at the time of my last report, that of Charles H. Sleeper as executor of the estate of the late Ellen E. S. Wadleigh, being an appeal from the award of damages by the County Commissioners occasioned by the construction of the Weirs boulevard, has had a jury trial and a less sum awarded to the petitioner than that awarded by the Commissioners.

Another suit by the same party in the same representative capacity being an action for alleged trespass to land owned by the estate of Mrs. E. E. S. Wadleigh, while constructing the Weirs boulevard, has been partially tried before a jury, but the trial was not completed on account of error in the proceedings on the part of the person in whose favor the suit was brought. He was allowed leave to amend on payment of costs ordered by the court, and the case will come up for trial later.

At the November term of the Supreme Court, a jury trial was had on the question of damages claimed by Edwin L. Cram on account of the closing of a portion of Gold street. The jury awarded to Mr. Cram the sum of eleven hundred and fifty-four dollars and sixteen cents. The case has been reserved for the law court for decision upon questions of law.

The suits of William G. Cram, Mary A. Lougee, Katie M. Cushing and Rockwell N. Dana all growing out of the closing of Gold street, remain as yet untried,, and may not be tried until the decision is rendered on questions of law raised in the Edwin L. Cram suit.

At the November term of the Supreme Court a suit was entered by Mrs. Mary F. Leavitt, claiming damages to the amount of ten thousand dollars for injuries alleged to have happened to her while travelling upon Court

street. This case will probably be in order for trial at the spring term of court.

From the foregoing it is plain to be seen that a large amount of business has occupied the attention of this department during the year that has closed. Numberless questions have arisen requiring attention outside of matters litigated, none of which it occurs to me require particular attention in this report.

Upon the important questions involved in the case of Edwin L. Cram, now before the law court, I am engaged in making a brief.

I desire to express my thanks to the members of the Council, the Mayor and other City Officers for continued acts of courtesy extended to me.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN S. JEWETT, City Solicitor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS.

To the City Council:

Herewith we present to you the sixth annual report of the City Marshal to the Board of Police Commissioners for the year ending February 15, 1901.

Frank E. Busiel.
F. C. Sanborn.
C. W. Vaughan.

REPORT OF CITY MARSHAL.

To the Board of Police Commissioners:

I respectfully present herewith the annual report of the police department, ending February 15, 1901.

It is fitting that mention be made concerning the death of Patrolman Charles E. Small, which occurred June 25, 1900, and that a short sketch of his career as an officer be here inserted.

Charles E. Small was elected a special police officer by the board of mayor and city council, May 28, 1894, and on April 12, 1895, was appointed a regular patrolman by the board of police commissioners and served the city in that capacity until the night of January 11, 1900, while on duty, he was stricken with the grim disease which later caused his death. For a few days after his first attack of sickness, in his characteristic determination to

battle against odds, he attempted to perform his duties as an officer, but soon had to give up, and from that time until his death he rapidly grew worse.

The death of Patrolman Small was a great blow to his associates and a serious loss to the department. As a man, he was ever a true and honorable citizen; as an officer, faithful, conscientious and courageous. Those who knew him best loved him most, and especially will the members of the department love to remember him as a true friend.

I have also to report the untimely death of Special Officer Henry L. Wilkinson, which occurred April 29, 1900. While in the discharge of a duty of his office, without warning, he was stricken with an attack of heart disease and died within a few moments of the attack. He had served the town and city of Laconia as a regular and special police officer, and for many years was a very efficient truant officer. In his death the department lost a valued member and the city an honorable citizen.

June 24, 1900, the offices and court room occupied by the department were destroyed by fire. Most of the important records were saved, however, except about 1500 complaints and warrants on file, which were badly damaged by smoke and water. The office furniture was almost a total loss, together with a minor collection of criminal records, police equipments, pictures, etc. The officers sustained quite a personal loss by damage to their uniforms, in some instances their clothing being entirely consumed.

The department is now very nicely located with the various officers of the city government in Masonic Temple.

ARRESTS.

Arrests, males	348
Arrests, females	8
Whole number of arrests	356

CAUSES OF ARRESTS.

Assault	14
Aggravated assault	2
Assault on an officer	1
Arrested for out of town officers	12
Bastardy	2
Burglary	3
Breaking and entering and larceny	4
Board beats	2
Drunkenness	224
Disturbing the peace	2
Disturbing a public school	4
Escaped convicts	2
Embezzlement	1
Fornication	2
Gambling	2
Illegal sale of lake trout	2
Keeping malt liquor for sale	16
Keeping spiritous liquor for sale	12
Keeping cider for sale	1
Larceny from the person	2
Larceny	9
Malicious mischief	8
Murder	1
Non-support	2
Noise and brawl	6
Over driving a horse	1
Obscene and profane language	2
Obtaining money under false pretences	1
Selling spiritous liquor	1
Selling malt liquor	1
Selling obscene literature	1
Safe keeping	3
Suspicion	3
Stealing a ride	2
Surety of the peace	2

Truants	1
Vagrants	2
Violating board of health rules	2

HOW DISPOSED OF.

Paid fine and costs	118
Discharged by the court	5
Committed to the house of correction for non-payment of fines and costs	41
Committed to house of correction upon sentence	16
Committed to jail upon sentence	6
Committed to jail in default of bonds	11
Furnished bonds to appear at court	5
Furnished bonds to keep the peace	2
Complaints placed on file	40
Nol-prossed	1
Suspended by paying costs	7
Cases not settled	18
Discharged without being brought before the court	78
Complaints dismissed	8

LODGERS.

Number of persons furnished lodging	294

PROPERTY STOLEN AND LOST.

Property reported stolen	$451.90
Stolen property recovered	296.25
Property reported lost	215.00
Stolen property recovered	139.00

INCIDENTAL SERVICES.

Accidents reported	6
Disturbances quelled without arrest	33
Dogs killed	5
Dangerous dogs, noticed served to owners	4
Dadgerous sidewalks reported	1
Fires extinguished without alarm	1
Fires discovered and alarms given	3

Fire alarms given	1
Lost children restored to parents	6
Dead bodies recovered	1
Obstructions removed from streets	1
Obstructions removed from sidewalks	2
Stores found open and secured	39
Stray teams put up	13
Complaints investigated	36
Value of merchandise left outside of stores	$246.40
Searches for liquor, none found	9
Burglaries reported	7
Larcenies reported	25
Nuisances reported to Board of Health	8
Assisted out of town officers	15
Runaway horses stopped	2

Respectfully Submitted,

H. K. W. Scott, City Marshal.

REPORT OF CLERK OF POLICE COURT.

To the City Council:

I have the honor to submit my report as clerk of the police court.

The criminal cases brought before this court were 280, the disposal of which and of the cash receipts the city marshal gives a detailed account.

Cash received for civil cases, sixteen dollars and fifty cents, for which I hold receipt of city treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

Martin B. Plummer,

Clerk of Police Court.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit the eighth annual report of this department for the year ending February 15, 1901.

There have been twenty-eight alarms during the year, as follows:

Feb. 14. Box 25. City hospital. No damage.

Feb. 17. Box 46. Harvard street school house. Damage on house and contents, $4,000; covered by insurance.

Feb. 22. Box 25. Boys' play house, Court street. No damage.

April 11. Box 53. Grass in C. E. Leavitt's yard. No damage.

April 16. Box 27. Belknap foundry. Damage, $300; covered by insurance.

April 26. Box 46. Brush fire.

May 1. Box 25. False alarm.

May 10. Box 54. Tetley's box shop. Damage on stock, $110; covered by insurance.

May 11. Box 46. Brush fire.

May 29. Box 63. Brush fire.

June 21. Box 82. L. P. Webster's building. Damage on building, $250; insurance, $200. Damage on contents, $50; no insurance.

June 24. Box 25. Mallard's drug store. Damage on Mallard's block, $2,500; covered by insurance. Damage

on stock, $5,000; covered by insurance. Damage on Mitchell's block, $2,000; covered by insurance. Damage on stock, $1,500; covered by insurance. Damage to Dinsmoor's building, $1,500; covered by insurance. Damage on McCarthy Bros.' stock, $8,000; covered by insurance. Damage on Burleigh's building, $1,500; covered by insurance.

July 4. Box 53. False alarm.

July 4. Box 25. Shed on Mrs. Holden's property. No damage.

July 23. Box 58. Brush fire.

August 4. Box 56. Howe's house. Damage, $10; covered by insurance.

August 14. Box 25. Kirtland House. Damage, $200; covered by insurance. Damage on furniture, $235; covered by insurance.

August 16. Box 82. Boat house. No damage.

Sept. 2. Box 74. Dr. Elkins' building. Damage on building, $10; covered by insurance. Damage on goods, $25; covered by insurance.

Sept. 20. Box 25. Marshall's building. No damage.

Oct. 4. Box 76. LeValley's boat. Damage, $200; covered by insurance.

Oct. 7. Box 67. Rowe's building. Damage on building, $1,600; covered by insuranee. Damage on contents of Hart & Son's stable, $820; covered by insurance.

Nov. 16. Box 62. Cook's house. Damage on building, $850; covered by insurance. Damage on contents, $25; covered by insurance.

Jan. 18. Box 56. Building and Loan Co. house. Damage, $100; covered by insurance.

Jan. 24. Box 82. Piper's block. Damage, $500; covered by insurance.

Feb. 7. Box 25. Smith's block. Damage, $25; covered by insurance.

MANUAL FORCE.

The total manual force is as follows:

Chief engineer	1
Assistant engineers	3
Steamer Co., No. 1	12
Laconia Hook and Ladder Co., No, 1	15
Eureka Hook and Ladder Co., No. 2	14
Weirs Hose Co., No. 1	12
G. A. Sanders Hose Co., No. 2	12
Reliance Hose Co., No. 3	10
J. S. Crane Hose Co., No. 4	12
Niagara Hose Co., No. 5	10
Highland Hose Co., No. 6	10
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ENGINEERS.

A. W. Wilcox, Chief.

J. M. Sanborn, 1st Ass't. Albert Griffin, 2d Ass't.

W. R. Harris, 3d Ass't.

STEAMER CO. NO. 1.

Merton A. Leavitt, Foreman.
Eddie W. Bean.
Harry P. Dimond.
Fenno D. Bickford.
Fred Stone.
Charles Killourhy.
Leon Smith.
William W. Saunders.
Frank Dimond.
Fred E. Sanborn.
Clayton V. Stanley.
Charles Paquette.

HOSE CO. NO. 1.

Caleb J. Avery, Foreman.
Willis E. Floyd.
Tilden H. Avery.
William Cole.
John Perkins.
William A. Smith.
William R. Easter.
Charles H. Corliss.
Austin W. Easter.
William Woodland.
Fred E. Moore.
Harry Butler.

HOOK AND LADDER, NO. 1.

George H. Piper, Foreman.
Robert S. Foss.
Charles H. Peavey.
Arthur M. Farrar.
George M. Riley.
Frank S. Willey.
George E. Wilcox.
Earl Bagley.
Fred Wilcox.
Nelson Dionne.
John L. Foster.
Ross L. Piper.
Albert E. Howe.
Thomas J. Hyde.
William Jackson.

HOOK AND LADDER, NO. 2.

Geo. H. O. Milette, Foreman.
William H. Brawn.
William E. Holahan.
Amos A. Hobbs.
Jerry Collins.
Edward Kyle.
John Valier.
Thomas H. Lachance.
Albert E. Dow.
Fred K. Sanborn.
Hoyt H. Winchester.
Albert E. Dodge.
William J. Sheehan.
John J. Jewett.
George Boucher.

HOSE CO. NO. 2.

David S. Main, Foreman.
Arthur J. Wiggin.
George Reister.
Clarence L. Sargent.
Guy E. Moore.
Frank E. Weeks.
Archie L. Glidden.
Byron G. Herbert.
Bedell E. Dockham.
James O. Andrews.
William H. Wakefield.
John D. Flack.

HOSE CO. NO. 3.

Joseph Prescott, Foreman.
Paul Morin.
William A. Mongeon.
Edward Lepage.
Leandre Gagnon,
Alphonse Fournier.
Edward Morin.
Charles Deblois.
Antoine A. Joyal.
Frank Deblois.

HOSE CO, NO. 4.

Edward C. Sargent, Foreman.
Albion E. Bagley.
John H. White.
Almer Piper.

William J. Burnham.
Thomas H. Keay.
Charles W. Hobbs.
Arthur Whitten.
Fred B. Brown.
Frank E. Hall.
Nelson Judino.
Robert McMurphy.

HOSE CO. NO. 5.

Perley L. Frost, Foreman.
Albert Langley.
Philip Duval.
Paul Nadeau.
Louis Cross.
Joseph H. Lavertue.
Walter Nadeau.
A. Curtis.
Henry Goss.
Joseph E. Kimball.

HOSE CO. NO. 6.

Charles W. Bailey, Foreman.
Joe B. Sanborn.
Benjamin F. Drake.
Earl E. Hall.
Charles H. Spooner.
Archie W. Wadley.
Carl Jerry.
Claude C. Dame.
Eddie N. Jerry.
Merton H. Tatham.

HYDRANTS.

The city has 109 hydrants in use, including 17 private ones.

PUBLIC RESERVOIRS AND COST OF CONSTRUCTION.

1	Pleasant street, near Harvard	$ 150.00
2	Depot square	300.00
3	Main street, opposite Oliver Sanborn's	221.25
4	Academy street, near Bowman	176.00
5	Court street, corner Fair	221.25
6	Main street, corner Pine	200.00
7	Lyford street	200.00
8	Main street, opposite G. A. Sanders'	150.00
9	Mechanic street, near Rublee's shop	160.00
10	Belvidere, near school	125.00
11	School street, near Elm	300.00
12	Elm street, north end	160.00
13	Near Lakeport passenger station	1,202.53
		$3,566.03

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH. LOCATION OF BOXES.

No. 25, Main street, corner California court.
26, Laconia Car Co.
27, Mill street, near Sam Hodgson's machine shop.
28, Water street, near the railroad crossing.
43, Depot square.
45, Main street, corner Harvard.
46, Pleasant street, corner Harvard.
47, Main street, corner of Oak.
48, Messer street, corner of Oak.
52, Union avenue, near electric car station.
53, Church street, corner of Messer.
54, Union avenue, corner of Gilford.
56, Union avenue, corner of Spring street.
57, Union avenue, opposite grist mill.
58, Batchelder street, corner of Avery.
62, Court street, corner of Keasor.
63, Academy street, corner of Fair.
65, Main street, junction of Province street.
67, Court street, corner of Academy.
68. Fair street, near G. Cook & Son's mill.
71, Union avenue, corner of Messer.
73, Union avenue, corner of Bridge street.
74, Union avenue, corner of Clinton street.
75, Valley street, corner of Manchester.
76, Union avenue, near pumping station.
78, Elm street, near Cole Mfg. Co.'s office.
82, Gold street, corner of Fore.
84, Franklin street, near Wood's mill.
85, Elm street, corner of Jefferson.
86, North street, corner of School.
87, Elm street, corner of School.
89, Fairmount street, corner of Washington.

DIRECTIONS.—To give an alarm, pull down the handle once and let go.

SIGNALS.

1—Test signal, which is struck every day at 12.30.

2—Given after an alarm denotes "fire out."

3—School signal. Struck on stormy days at 7.45 a. m., 12.45 p. m., denotes "no school."

4—Companies not answering first alarm dismissed.

5—Second alarm.

7—Third alarm.

15—Militia call to armory.

INVENTORY OF LAND AND BUILDINGS.

Steamer house, Water street	$ 100.00
Engine house and furniture, Water street	100.00
Land, Water street	2,000.00
Hose house, Ward 1	400.00
Hose house, Ward 2	1,500.00
Eureka Hook and Ladder house, Ward 6	1,000.00
J. S. Crane house, Ward 6	800.00
Niagara hose house, Ward 6	50.00
Highland hose room, Ward 6	25.00
Fire alarm telegraph and supplies for same	3,500.00
	$9,475.00

PROPERTY OF THE LACONIA FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Steamer Co., No. 1.

1 Steamer	$3,000.00
1 " hose wagon	300.00
1 " supply wagon	100.00
1 " hose sleigh	60.00
1 " heater	180.00
1 extra length suction hose	49.75
4,000 ft. good hose	1,700.00
500 ft. second quality	70.00
1 Racine fire extinguisher	15.00
1 self lighter for steamer	10.00
1 swing harness	75.00
1 pair double harness	30.00

2 extra collars	$ 40.00
4 horses	450.00
6 halters	9.00
5 whips	3.50
4 horse blankets	24.00
4 shut-off pipes	80.00
9 extra hose couplings	27.00
5 old spanners	1.00
1 snow shovel	.40
1 coal shovel	.50
1 hatchet	.50
1 siamese connection	20.00
1 bar castile soap	.50
1 box axle grease	.20
½ cord hard wood	3.00
½ cord soft wood	1.75
1 dust pan and duster	1.00
2 copper leak stops	25.00
1 harness hanger	3.00
1 tin pail	.25
1 sprinkler	.75
1 water gauge	15.00
3 chamois	4.50
4 sponges	1.40
1 gallon sperm oil	1.50
1 gallon cylinder oil	1.25
Eastman tips, extensions and holders	100.00
73 rubber packings	7.50
5 extra lantern globes	2.50
1 set extra coil for striker	6.00
2 pack screens	6.00
2 extra wagon lamps	10.00
75¾ ft. rubber hose	4.50
1 expander	7.50
1 gallon polish	2.50
3 smoke protectors	15.00
15-gallon can	.75

2 brass steamer pipes	$ 9.00
1 iron vise	2.50
6 house tappers	180.00
1 ton English canal coal	20.00
5 lanterns	10.00
36 spanners	17.00
8 hose straps	4.00
4 hydrant wrenches	4.00
4 body belts	5.00
Rope	2.50
1 step ladder	2.00
4 oil cans	3.50
12 rubber coats	36.00
Eastman deluge set	125.00
Total	$6,837.50

WEIRS HOSE CO., NO. 1.

1 hose carriage	$ 165.00
1,000 ft. hose	500.00
3 lead pipes	45.00
3 hose straps	1.50
11 spanners	5.50
1 hydrant wrench	2.00
12 fire pails	6.00
4 poor coats	4.00
2 lanterns	4.00
7 lamps	3.50
1 table	2.00
1 broom and dust pan	.75
400 ft. second quality hose	50.00
2 old lead pipes	20.00
1 fire extinguisher	15.00
½ cord wood	3.00
3 ladders	7.00
1 stove	5.00
Total	$839.25

Hose Co., No. 2.

1 hose carriage	$ 400.00
1,200 ft. hose	600.00
1 siamese connection	20.00
1 open pipe	15.00
2 axes	3.00
1 extra pole	10.00
1 hose tower stove	5.00
1 box stove	5.00
4 hydrant wrenches	4.00
4 hose straps	2.00
8 spanners	4.00
3 extra whiffletrees	4.50
2 lanterns	4.00
1 old hose coupler, not good	1.00
13 ladder straps	9.00
3 brooms	.60
4 increasers and reducers	6.00
2 shut-off pipes	45.00
12 rubber coats	30.00
Total	$1,168.10

Hose Co., No. 3.

1 hose carriage	$ 200.00
950 feet good hose	475.00
50 feet second quality hose	3.00
9 rubber coats	18.00
2 lanterns	4.00
3 hydrant wrenches	3.01
1 combination spanner and hydrant wrench	1.50
7 rubber packings	.75
8 spanners	4.00
1 hose patch	3.50
7 hose straps	3.50
2 shut-off pipes	45.00

1 iron bar	$ 1.00
1 snow shovel	.40
1 sponge	.35
1 chamois	1.00
50¾ ft. rubbber hose	4.50
1 jack	1.50
1 broom	.25
1 siamese connection	20.00
⅛ cord hard wood	.75
1 sprinkler	.75
1 can	.50
1 gallon oil can	.75
12 chairs	6.00
1 table	2.50
1 stove and funnel	5.50
1 extra coupling	3.00
1 axe	1.50
Total	$811.50

Hose Co. No. 4.

1 hose carriage	$ 450.00
1,550 feet good hose	775.00
150 feet second quality hose	10.00
4 shut-off pipes	50.00
1 spray pipe	25.00
1 pipe holder	15.00
8 hose straps	4.00
2 lanterns	2.00
1 axe	1.50
10 good rubber coats	30.00
3 not good rubber coats	1.00
4 caps	4.00
8 spanners	4.00
2 hydrant wrenches	2.00
2 tin pails	1.00
1 Eastman deluge set	150.00

2 smoke protectors	$ 10.00
1 iron bar	1.00
1 box stove	5.00
19 chairs	9.50
2 open pipes	30.00
1 nail hammer	.75
2 monkey wrenches	1.50
1 screwdriver	.35
1 carriage pole	10.00
1 neck yoke	3.00
2 whiffletrees	3.00
1 spanner	.50
1 sponge	.35
1 feather duster	.50
1 extra electric light globe	.20
1 shovel	.50
1 pick	.50
3 old brooms	.30
1 Racine fire extinguisher	15.30
Total	$1,616.75

Hose Co., No. 5.

1 hose carriage	$ 170.00
650 feet good hose	325.00
500 feet second quality hose	10.00
1 shut-off pipe	22.50
1 open pipe	15.00
8 rubber coats	16.00
4 spanner belts	5.50
10 spanners	5.50
1 hose strap	1.00
1 monkey wrench	.75
10 ft. ¾ rope	.50
1 hose patch	3.50
1 snow shovel	.40
1 pail	.50

1 broom	$ .25
1 lantern	1.00
1 can of oil	1.25
½ cord hard wood	3.00
1 carriage pole	5.00
1 box axle grease	.15
1 sponge	.35
Total	$586.15

Hose Co., No. 6.

1 hose carriage	$ 150.00
450 feet linen hose	50.00
900 feet rubber-lined hose	450.00
50 feet second quality hose	5.00
1 pail	.50
9 rubber coats	22.50
2 hose straps	1.00
2 spanner belts	3.00
4 spanners	2.00
1 patent spanner	3.00
4 patent hose patches	12.00
1 lead pipe	15.00
1 hydrant wrench	1.00
1 shut-off pipe	22.50
Total	$727.50

Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1.

1 hook and ladder carriage	$ 200.00
1 set hook and ladder runners	75.00
1 extra pole for H. and L.	10.00
1 neck-yoke	3.00
2 whiffletrees	3.00
4 axes	6.00
1 patent harness	75.00
1 line trimmer	3.50
1 patent harness hanger	5.00

1 fire escape	$200.00
2 carriage gongs	10.00
15 rubber coats	30.00
4 ropes	5.50
1 Torrent hand engine	150.00
1 old steamer hose wagon	20.00
1 broom	.30
6 settees	10.00
1 table	3.00
1 extra 28 foot ladder	5.00
2 extra bells for H. and L.	4.00
1 set falls blocks	10.00
1 extension ladder	125.00
Total	$453.30

HOOK AND LADDER, NO. 2.

Hook and Ladder carriage	$250.00
4 axes	6.00
20 good rubber coats	45.00
3 second quality coats	1.00
6 lanterns	12.00
1 gong bell	10.00
1 iron bar	1.00
2 pinch bars	2.00
1 nail hammer	.75
2 ladder hooks	1.50
2 spanners	1.00
1 snow shovel	.40
200 pounds engine coal	2.00
1 box stove	5.00
1 air-tight stove	4.50
½ cord hard wood	3.00
1 broom	.30
1 settee	2.50
1 monkey wrench	.75
Total	$348.70

RECOMMENDATIONS.

I would make the following recommendations: that provision be made for the purchase of 1000 feet of hose; that the steamer hose wagon and supply wagon be repaired and repainted and the other department apparatus be varnished; that a hydrant be located on Messer street, near the upper railroad crossing; that a new department building be erected on Water street; also that provision be made for relining 500 feet of hose.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to my assistants, officers and men, and to the street and police departments for their assistance rendered.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT W. WILCOX, Chief Engineer.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

To the City Council:

We herewith submit our report of sanitary work for the year ending Dec. 31, 1900.

Complaints made to and investigated by board of health	109
Houses closed up by order of board of health containing cases of contagious diseases	54
Houses fumigated	27
Permits given for cleaning vaults	4
Foul sink drains cleaned	19
Foul water closets cleaned	29
Sinks without traps, traps placed thereon	12
Bad wells disused	4
Animals buried	6
Nuisances abated	20

The following cases of contagious diseases were reported:

Measles	37
Diphtheria	8
Typhoid fever	7
Scarlet fever	23

One arrest was caused to be made by the board, for violating the rules and regulations; also a family was detained at home for violating quarantine rules.

There has been less typhoid fever during the years since the system of sewers was constructed than in one year previous to its construction; also a large decrease in all zymotic diseases.

The use of Valley brook and of Perley canal for sewerage are sources of much annoyance and a cause of much complaint, as well as a menace to the public health. At the time the water was shut off from the canal for the purpose of repairs upon the dam, the board of health immediately upon receiving notice requested all persons to cease draining sewage into the canal. Except in two or three cases, the request was complied with. Those who refused to comply did so upon the ground of having obtained permission to drain into the canal years ago, and claiming a consequent right to continue at the present time. In order to avoid further trouble from this source we would suggest that the city pass an ordinance compelling all persons on the line of the sewer to connect with the same within one year. This would give people of limited means time to make arrangements preparatory for the needful expense, relieve the board of health from the responsibility which necessarily causes more or less hard feelings, and remove the danger to the public health arising from such unsanitary conditions in the midst of the most populous portions of the city.

Respectfully submitted,

D. L. Davis,
W. H. True,
Chas. H. Corliss,
} Board of Health.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

To the City Council:

The expenses of this department for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901, have been less than for the preceding year, thus making them the lowest since the beginning of the financial depression a few years ago.

The persons aided the past year have been those made destitute by old age or sickness. None have received aid for the reason of being unable to find employment.

A number of heads of families, possessing a dislike for work to the extent of allowing their families to suffer for the necessaries of life, have been compelled to go to work and support those dependent upon them.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR TUCKER,

A. C. S. RANDLETT.

Overseers of the Poor.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES.

To the City Council:

The trustees submit the reports of the librarians which show the use that has been made together with the needs and condition of the libraries.

With the constant wear of the old books and no new ones having been purchased an increased expense has been made for re-binding. It is hoped that a small additional approriation can be had for the coming year in order that the libraries may be kept good and to provide some of the new and popular books that are so much in demand. The city treasurer's report gives the amount expended for the libraries, and the treasurer of the trustees shows in the report herewith submitted the income from the Helen A. Avery fund that is available for the purchase of books of permanent value. A small amount is also in the hands of the trustees from the unexpended balance of the appropriation for 1900 and the fines received by the librarians during the past year,

W. J. Morrison, Ward 1.
Chas. C. Davis, " 2.
John T. Busiel, " 3.
Wm. F. Knight, " 4.
Chas. K. Sanborn, " 5.
Chas. F. Locke, " 6.
A. S. Owen.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Helen A. Avery Fund.

Receipts.

1900.	
Feb. 15, cash on hand as per last report	$ 56.50
March 2, cash from dividend Ill. Central R. R. stock	2.50
May 26, cash from A. Filion, interest on loan . .	27.00
Sept. 3, cash from dividend Ill. Central R. R. stock	3.00
Nov. 21, cash from A Filion interest on loan . .	27.00
	$116.00

Assets.

Loan A. Filion	$900.00	
1 share Ill. Central R. R. stock	100.00	
		$1000.00

General Fund.

Balance of appropriation, 1900	$35.24	
Cash received by librarians from fines . .	81.66	
		$116.90

W. F. Knight, Treasurer.

To the Board of Trustees of the Public Libraries of Laconia:

Gentlemen.—The year just closed has been a very quiet and uneventful one in library work. No new books have been added and in consequence of that fact, borrowers are not as numerous as when the newest books are to be found on the shelves. In spite of this condition, however, the circulation has been kept up to a fair average and readers are learning that the stock of *old* books has not been entirely exhausted.

As our thoughts are directed more or less frequently to the new library building, our work seems to be largely in the future, rather than in the immediate present and while we cannot sit idly down to wait the completion

of a new library home, yet we are not able to make or enlarge many new plans till we are settled in a place favorable to carrying them out. During the period that must elapse before our new building is ready for occupancy, it will be the effort of the librarian to make the library of as much service as possible within its present limitations.

We have received gifts of books from several sources throughout the year, and are glad to acknowledge them at this time: James M. King, one book; Henry McFarland, one book; Finley Acker, one book; Joseph Burnett Co., one book; Towle Manufacturing Co., one book; Herbert S. Underwood, one book; Publishers of "Punch", London, one book; Mrs. Moody Currier, one book; Mrs. L. A. Obear, one book; set of ten volumes, John T. Busiel; thirty-four government publications in book form and numerous pamphlets, and the annual city report.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Whole number of names registered	2,967
Number registered during the year	170
Whole number of books	7,658
Juvenile	1,191
Fiction	2,497
History, travels, biography, etc.	4,060
Greatest number taken out in one day	358
Average number out	226
Greatest number out at one time	708
Total circulation during the year	23,479
Average of juvenile each day	63
Average of fiction each day	139
Average of all others each day	24

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA S. BUSIEL, Librarian.

To the Board of Trustees of the Public Libraries of Laconia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to submit to you my ninth annual report as librarian of the Lakeport public library, for the year ending January 31, 1901.

As in previous years, every book was found or accounted for at the annual inventory in January. During the past eight years and a quarter only two books have been lost that were not paid for by those to whom they had been charged. The value of the two books lost was less than one dollar. In each case the borrower left town without returning the book. One other book was left by the borrower at his boarding house and was afterward offered to the librarian for sale.

Ten books were donated to the library during the year and one duplicate was prepared for circulation. No new books were added by purchase. The total number of books is now twenty-four hundred and sixteen. Twenty-one pamphlets, including bulletins, were received, bringing the total number up to one hundred and fourteen. One hundred and sixty-nine books were rebound, twenty-three of these for the second time. Another lot must be sent to the bindery very soon. Many of the books are too badly worn to be rebound or to be circulated, but they have not been wholly withdrawn.

Sixty-seven new borrowers registered during the year. The total number registered is now one thousand and thirty-seven. The circulation fell off about ten per cent. as compared with the previous year. This was doubtless largely due to the fact that no new books were added and many of the patrons drew books from the other library, or refrained from borrowing books because they could not obtain satisfactory books that they had not already read. Fewer books were loaned to the teachers for school use because the books were needed at the library. The number of books thus loaned decreased from one hundred and thirty-one to eighty-seven. Of the

books regularly loaned the percentage of fiction was about the same as during the previous year. A larger proportion of travel and biography was loaned and a smaller percentage of history. Nineteen dollars and eighty-eight cents were collected as fines, a gain of one dollar and thirty-seven cents over the previous year.

The regular card catalogue now contains two thousand two hundred and sixty-five cards and the card shelf-list two hundred and sixty-seven cards. These cards represent eight hundred and forty-four books. More than half of the books charged out at any one time are among those catalogued. It was expected that a supplement to the catalogue would be printed during the year, but funds were not available for the purpose. A complete printed catalogue of the whole library would doubtless largely increase the circulation and its general usefulness.

Two books were obtained from the state library for the use of a patron of this library. Books may be drawn from the state library, through this library, by any one who is willing to pay the actual cost of transportation. Last June, arrangements with the General Theological Library of Boston were completed, by which books can be drawn from that library by the clergymen of this city through this library. As in the case of books from the state library, the postage or express charges must be paid by the borrower.

We desire to express our appreciation of the gifts received during the year and thank our friends for their kind remembrance as follows: Christian Science Society of Laconia, one book, one pamphlet; Adelbert Clark, one book; Hon. Chauncy M. Depew, one pamphlet; Dover (N. H.) public library, one pamphlet, two bulletins; E. C. Scranton Memorial library, one pamphlet; Alexander Fullerton, one book; Hon. J. H. Gallinger, two pamphlets; General Theological Library, Boston, one pamphlet; Indian Rights Association, two pamphlets; Joseph

Burnett Co., one book; city government, bound copy of the city report; Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitration, 1900, one pamphlet; New Hampshire Library Commission, 4 bulletins; Religious Society of Friends, two pamphlets; United States Agriculture department, one pamphlet; United States Civil Service commission, one book; United States Education bureau, two books; United States Interstate Commerce commission, one book; United States National Museum, one book; unknown source, two pamphlets.

STATISTICAL TABLE.

Books on hand February 1, 1900	2,405
Books donated	10
Duplicate accessioned	1
Books on hand February 1, 1901	2,416
Books rebound	169
Pamphlets donated	21
Pamphlets on hand Feb. 1, '01, including periodicals	114
Number of new registered borrowers	67
Number of registered borrowers Feb. 1, 1901	1,037
Books loaned	7,641
Largest number in one day, Feb. 17	132
Smallest number in one day, July 4	24
Average daily circulation, 104 days	73.47
Average daily circulation of fiction	62.93
Percentage of circulation of fiction	85.65
" " " " travel	4.77
" " " " biography	1.97
" " " " history	3.39
" " " " all other classes	4.20
Largest number of books out on the first day of any month, March	243
Smallest number of books out on the first day of any month, September	145

Average number of books out on the first day of each month	189
Number of books loaned to teachers for school use	87
Number of cards in card catalogue	2,265
Number of cards in card shelf-list	267
Number of books catalogued on cards	844

Respectfully submitted,

OLIN S. DAVIS, Librarian.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF THE CITY ENGINEER.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit the eighth annual report of this department for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901.

The appropriation for this department is so limited that much work which should be going on at the present time is from necessity postponed. Many of the lines of of our older streets are not defined and as time goes on the difficulty of retracing them increases. There is in existence no reliable map or plan of the streets, storm sewers or culverts in our city. This defect makes it difficult for the different departments to carry out any systematic plan of improvements.

I would recommend that the appropriation for this department be increased from $500.00 to $750.00 to allow a beginning to be made on an accurate and comprehensive survey of our streets.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. DAVIS, City Engineer.

PROPERTY.

Typewriter	$ 10.00
Drawing table	30.00
Card index	25.00
Engineer's Wye level	125.00
Pocket compass	3.50

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Standard tape and thermometer	$ 20.00
Drawing paper, type, etc	1.00
1 note book, 4 time books	2.50
2 stapling machines and staples	3.00
Gas stove	4.00
1 50 ft. steel tape	3.00
1 hatchet	.75
3 lbs. nails	.25
1 plumb bob	1.50
110 stakes	1.10
Letter press and copying book	8.35
12 paper weights	3.00
Total	$241.95

SEWER DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit the tenth annual report of this department for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901.

The past year like those preceding it has shown the excellence of our sewer system. Very little trouble has been experienced in the maintenance of the system, and its working has proved that in design and construction it is equal to the demands put upon it.

The number of sewer connections during the past year has been large; sixty-three being reported as against thirty-six during the previous year.

Four lateral sewers have been built during the year, the construction of which was very successfully carried out and the cost of each brought well under the estimated expense.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. DAVIS,

Superintendent of Sewers.

CASH RECEIVED BY SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWERS.

For 63 sewer permits, at $5	$315.00	
Plumbers' licenses	4.50	
		$319.50
Cash paid City Treasurer as per receipts with City Clerk		$319.50

PROPERTY.

Office safe	$ 90.00
Roll-top desk	25.00
Diaphram pump	15.00
22 feet suction hose	15.00
Pile driving machine	25.00
Smoke test machine	5.00
36 feet 6-inch cast iron pipe	18.00
24 feet 14-inch cast iron pipe	35.00
Tool box	3.00
4 lanterns, oil can, watering pot	2.15
1 lb. jute rope, 2 cast iron hammers	1.25
7 brace dogs, 2 trowels	2.00
2 monkey wrenches, 1 pile cap	1.80
Cement brush, 2 hoes, 4 pails	1.20
Auger and handles, hand saw and square	1.65
4 tamping irons	3.00
2 axes, 2 iron bars, 2 chisels	2.20
3 sets stamford joint moulds	12.00
Pattern for pile driver hammer	6.00
13 iron drift pins	1.00
16 iron bolts	1.00
4 calking irons, 4 spanners, 1 hydrant wrench	5.60
Iron washers, sand screen	.50
2 wooden mauls	2.00
2 long handle shovels, 11 picks	7.10
13 round point shovels	6.50
Bit brace and bit, nail hammer	1.50
Sounding pipe and hammer	5.00
1 post hole shovel, 4 grade rods	3.50
Carpenters level, 4 sand scoops	2.10
Trench plank	5.00
Burning iron, 2 hand drills, 2 points	1.50
1 stone hammer	2.00
12 ft. cast iron pipe	12.00
7 drills	3.00

3 pails	$ .75
Manhole head, Beaman street	12.00
Shims and wedges, 2 striking hammers	2.00
3 chains, 2 spoons, 1 rake	3.50
Small dipper, 15 pick handles	2.10
2 old shovels, 1 square point shovel	1.40
1 ¼ lbs. dynamite, 2 lbs. powder and can	2.00
Rivet set, 2 pairs rivet tongs	3.00
Old wire, lot rivets	1.50
1 large grab hook	1.00
Flushing rope, reel and wooden balls	6.00
Desk light, 7 office chairs, 1 desk chair	9.00
Old desk, a Stillson wrench	6.00
4 50-ft. steel tapes	8.00
2 100-ft. " "	5.00
1 100-ft. metallic tape	2.00
Total	$388.80

STREET DEPARTMENT.

REPORT OF THE STREET COMMISSIONER.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit the annual report of this department for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901.

The appropriation of $15,000.00 has been found sufficient to carry out such work as has been undertaken during the year. All the streets and roads were thoroughly machined and put in good order early in the year. An exceptionally dry summer prevented their remaining as firm and free from dust as might have been desired. Nearly all the smaller culverts and bridges have been overhauled and put in good shape, but it was impossible with the means at hand to do as much for some of the larger bridges. I would call attention to the condition of the Elm street and Main street bridges; the latter being in especially bad shape and unsafe for the traffic passing over it.

The appropriation of $2,000.00 for the improvement of Main street was expended as follows: catch basins, connections and sewer, $746.00; paved gutters, $410.00; macadamizing, $836.00; leaving a balance of $8.00. The road since completion has been free from dust and in itself from mud. The location of this new road is not favorable for a test in regard to mud as there is at each end of it a strip of the worst and most muddy road in the city and much mud is carried on to it by teams. I do not regard our local rock as satisfactory for the best

kind of road work and would suggest that if this kind of construction is to be continued a rock with higher cementing qualities be secured.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWIN R. DAVIS,

Street Commissioner

CASH RECEIVED BY STREET COMMISSIONER.

1900.			
Mar.	22,	Belknap Savings Bank, labor	$ 2.20
		J. Henry Story, labor	5.15
	24,	James Wilcox, manure	1.33
Apr.	20,	E. M. Pitman, pipe	1.20
May	1,	Napoleon Boisvert, error in pay-roll	4.00
	14,	Masonic Temple Asso., labor	2.57
July	11,	Annie E. Thurston, labor	4.30
	19,	Dennis O'Shea, pipe	4.76
Aug.	15,	L. Cate, pipe	1.00
	23,	E. F. Burleigh, labor	1.82
Sept.	18,	B. & M. R. R., labor	17.17
Oct.	1,	L. D. Clark, broken stone	12.24
	3,	J. P. H. Dearborn, pipe	.74
Nov.	3,	J. Q. Adams, leaves	.50
	8,	E. Page, shovel	.10
	13,	J. Q. Adams, leaves	.50
	15,	Fred Keasor, leaves	.50
	17,	B. F. Currier, leaves	.25
Dec:	1,	Jefferson Gilbert, pipe	1.92
		F. Hill, tree trimmer	.25
	5,	H. Labrecque, labor	.80
	7,	H. Goodwin, labor	.37
		C. P. Dow, leaves	1.00
		Fred Keasor, leaves	.50
		Bert Howe, leaves	.50
		Mrs. Russell, leaves	.25

Dec. 8,	Nelson Dionne, labor	$1.07
	C. W. Colbath, labor	.40
	J. Killourhy, labor	.55
12,	J. W. Busiel & Co., pipe	.50
17,	Town of Belmont, pipe	26.00
19,	N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., labor	97.15
22,	J. L. Roberts, wagon tongue	.50
1901.		
Jan. 12,	H. B. Quinby, broken stone	3.00
24,	Lewis S. Perley, street waste	37.90
25,	Cole Mfg. Co., old iron	.83
Feb. 4,	Laconia Electric Lighting Co., broken stone	3.00
	E. G. Ladd, coal stove	3.00
	Ralph Adams, manure	6.00
	Henry Gagnon, dynamite	1.25
8,	J. E. Phelps, manure	24.00
	Total	$271.07
	Cash deposited with city treasurer as per receipts with city clerk	$271.07

CASH RECEIVED BY STREET COMMISSIONER FOR CONCRETING.

G. H. Robie	$ 1.00
Belknap Savings Bank	3.40
Frank A. Edwards	1.00
R. H. Carter	1.00
Wyatt M. Stevens	2.50
Laconia Car Co. Works	35.80
Laconia Street Railway	7.42
Laconia Water Co.	1.15
Geo. F. Dame	2.79
H. E. Brawn	1.00
Total	$ 57.06
Cash deposited with city treasurer as per receipts with city clerk	$ 57.06

PROPERTY BELONGING TO THE CITY.

Division No. 1.

Harry Goodwin, Superintendent.

Land and buildings on Water street	$3,500.00
Land on Gilford avenue	100.00
Sheds and Shop	225.00
4 horses	500.00
8 harnesses	95.00
3 extra collars	6.00
2 extra tassels	.50
7 blankets, 1 hood	28.00
3 carts, 4 sleds	300.00
1 extra set front wheels	30.00
1 extra set shafts to sled	4.00
1 stone cab	50.00
5 sidewalk ploughs, 1 extra set shafts	304.00
2 road machines	200.00
1 snow roller	90.00
1 sidewalk roller	25.00
1 pole scraper	8.00
1 reversible plough	8.00
1 stone roller	20.00
2 set 4-horse reins	8.00
1 set 6-horse reins	7.00
1 coal stove	10.00
3 bushel baskets	.50
4 hangers for bridge stage	2.40
1 water barrel and tunnel	.60
1 drag, 2 harrows	12.00
1 street sweeper	300.00
2 stone lifters	25.00
2 sand screens	5.00
3 eveners, 3 whiffletrees, 5 neck yokes	22.00
1 wagon jack	1.00
3 sets lead bars	12.00

1 wood stove	$5.00
1 bed, spring, mattress, pillows, chairs, stand and desk	6.50
1 grain chest	8.00
1 copper tank	3.00
Medicine	10.00
1 tub	.60
2 scoop shovels	1.50
7 monkey wrenches	5.00
4 S hooks, 3 grab hooks, 7 chains	26.00
16 lanterns, 2 oil cans	5.50
4 saws, 5 augers, 1 plane	3.00
3 nail hammers, 2 shaves, 1 screw-driver	1.10
2 hand axes, 3 chisels, 1 mallet	2.50
14 files, 1 putty knife	2.00
4 sets shear poles	10.00
8 square-point shovels	3.20
13 round-point shovels	5.20
1 turf spade	.50
2 street brooms, 7 handles	1.50
5 cast-iron acorns for street signs	.50
3 pipe sign-posts with acorns	4.50
1 scraper for 6-in. pipe	.50
2 small claw-bars	1.00
3 pipe wrenches, 1 drill press. 9 drills	13.00
2 saw sets, 1 set tap and dies	6.50
1 gal. lard oil, 2 water pails	1.00
1 harness punch, 25 snaps	1.00
5 truss rods and center plates	30.00
1 20-16 tap, 19 20-16 machine screws	.40
2 cast-iron water scuppers	1.00
1 buttress	.25
2 pair shoeing pieces	1.00
1 hoof knife	.75
1 shoeing hammer	.75
1 cutter, 1 clincher, nails and shoes	2.00

1 wood vise	$ .50
3 boxes axle grease, 3 sponges	1.00
5½ yds. canvas	1.80
8 stencils, 2 pieces leather	1.90
6 coach screws	.25
2 cast-iron shoes for carts	2.40
1 flask for concrete gutters, 2 grade rods	3.00
8 common brooms, 1 sidewalk ice planer	5.00
1 mortar pen, 1 fine screen	.50
4 hammer handles	.40
340 lbs. nails	11.00
75 lbs. lead	4.50
50 feet fuse, 56 exploders, 1 lb. powder	2.50
2 grindstones. 2 pairs stone dogs	9.00
2 "Bridge Closed" signs	1.00
3 "Street Closed" signs	3.00
Paint, etc.	5.00
Lumber	15.00
1 single block and rope	3.00
2 cross-cut saws	1.50
1 snow scraper, 1 force pump and hose	8.00
50 lbs. Port. cement, ¼ bbl. Ros. cement	1.00
12 trace chains, 50 feet garden hose	7.50
1 4-horse whip, 2 other whips	2.00
6 old sidewalk ploughs, 1 map	10.00
2 stone forks, 2 wheelbarrows	7.00
24 picks, 5 pick mattocks	17.00
2,000 bricks, 250 paving bricks	18.00
1 forge, 1 anvil, 7 pair tongs, 2 hammers	20.00
9 punches, 5 cutters, 1 flattener	4.30
2 fullers, 2 rounders	3.00
400 lbs. iron	10.00
35 lbs. nuts, bolts and washers	1.40
10 lbs. steel, 200 lbs. old tire iron	5.00
1 leather apron	.50
1 bolt-heading plate	1.50

1 vise, 2 stamps, 4 brands	$9.00
2 bbls. soft coal	2.00
2 jack screws	5.00
1 hydrant wrench, 4 hose spanners	2.50
1 pair dividers, 2 oil cans	1.00
3 socket wrenches, 1 calking tool	3.40
1 pair bolt clippers, 2 blank keys	6.00
1 thermometer	1.00
4 pike poles, 1 pipe-clearing auger	3.50
1 roll tar paper	.50
4 large wedges	2.00
10 large half-rounds and wedges	2.00
125 feet line wire, 2 jugs	1.00
1 bag carrier, 6 bags	8.00
1 brace, 21 bits, 1 countersink, 1 reamer	3.00
1 bush scythe, 4 snaths, 2 bush hooks, 1 whetstone	5.20
33 wooden shovels, 2 pressed steel shovels	7.00
12 steel snow shovels	5.20
3 post spoons, 1 brick hammer	3.15
1 dredge, 3 levels, 4 squares, 2 adze	9.00
2 harness pans, 2 pruning shears	5.00
2 paving hammers, 1 paving maul	7.00
2 cant dogs, 4 tamps, 5 axes	8.00
2 long-handled r. p. shovels	2.40
2 hay forks, 1 manure fork	1.60
6 sand pails, 9 straps	5.00
4 scraper chains	1.00
1 ladder, 2 tool boxes, 1 step ladder	7.00
1 mortar hoe, 7 steel rakes, 12 steel hoes	3.00
10 iron rolls, 2 long-handled hoes	2.00
3 hammers, 10 points, 2 chisels	10.60
6 bars, 5 grub hoes	6.70
24 new steel snow shovels	19.00
1 hack-saw	1.50
4 gals. disinfectant	3.00
1 qt. brass polish	1.00

3 new cart bodies	$100.00
1 road roller	450.00
10 blast drills, 18 plug drills, set	11.00
2 striking hammers, 3 face hammers	7.50
1 blast spoon, 2 bull points	1.00
19 12-in. branches	22.00
10 new 8-in. branches	6.10
14 new 10-in. branches	12.00
5 old 10-in. branches	2.50
9 12-in. bends	9.50
8 ft. new 10-in. pipe	1.50
72 ft. old 10-in. pipe	11.00
4 6-in. L's	2.00
11 ft. 4-in. pipe	.66
26 ft. 2-in. pipe	1.00
66 ft. old 12-in. pipe	14.50
26 ft. old 8-in. pipe	2.60
28 8-6 reducers	14.00
2 ft. 24-in. pipe	2.00
10 10-in. channels	2.00
1 12-in. channel	.30
603 ft. new 12-in. pipe	180.00
16 old sewer grates	6.00
4 10-in. lamp heads	24.00
3 12-in. lamp heads	18.00
2 old 10-in. bends	1.00
26 15-in. bends	16.00
4 18x8 Ys	8.00
10 ft. 6-in. pipe	.70
1 12-8 reducer	2.00
3 feet 18-in. pipe	3.00
Total	$7,346.81

Division No. 2.

T. H. Lachance, Superintendent.

1 pair horses	$ 300.00
2 2-horse carts and stone cab	200.00
1 set double harnesses	50.00
1 tool box	3.00
16 spades	12.00
7 small shovels	3.00
10 picks and handles	7.50
1 well scoop, 1 pipe hoe, 1 sod cutter	1.50
1 stable broom	.20
1 bush hook, 2 brush scythes and snathes	3.50
8 hoes, 2 large hoes, 5 iron rakes, 4 large rakes	7.00
2 grub hoes	1.80
1 paving hammer, 1 paving maul	3.00
4 iron bars, 1 claw bar	2.40
15 drill, 3 drill spoons, 3 drill hammers	13.00
1 stone lifter, 3 heavy sledges, 1 whetstone	19.00
8 wheelbarrows, 2 axes, 1 file	5.10
1 trowel, 1 brick hammer	1.30
5 lanterns, 1 large grab hook	1.20
2 sets 1-horse shafts	4.00
6 tamping irons and pattern for same	3.50
2 sets lead reins, 4 cross reins	11.00
Curry combs, brushes, etc.	.50
4 iron pails, 3 straps, 1 straight edge	3.00
1 road machine, 4 snow plows	410.00
1 snow roller, 1 2-horse sled	100.00
2 street-closers, 5 chains	6.00
3 neck yokes, 4 whiffletrees	10.00
2 street blankets	6.00
1 cart wrench, 3 monkey wrenches,	2.00
2 hay forks, 2 dung forks	1.75
1 plug drill and wedges	1.00
200 ft. leather hose	10.00

1 stone drag, 1 cart jack	$ 10.00
1 horse roller, 1 dump sled	110.00
2 storm blankets	5.00
2 stone forks, 1 wooden rake	1.50
1 tool house, 1 step-ladder, 2 hand saws	26.50
1 sickle, 1 copper boiler	2.50
1 pole scraper	10.00
1 granite roller	10.00
1 coal stove, 1 water pail	2.20
1 level and box, 1 vise	6.00
2 sheds	100.00
64 ft. 15-inch pipe	23.00
40 ft. 10-in. pipe	8.00
70 ft. 20-in. pipe	70.00
44 ft. 8-in. pipe	5.00
12 10x4 Y's	11.00
4 12x4 Y's	5.00
15 8-in. Y's	7.50
3 12-in. T's	2.00
1 12-in. bend	.90
18 6x4 Y's	9.00
5 15x4 Y's	8.00
13 pick mattocks	7.80
1 watering trough	10.00
1 set bits and brace	4.00
1 square, 1 cross cut saw	1.60
1 2-in. auger, 1 wooden mallet	1.70
1 pair 3-shear blocks and rope	10.00
1 anvil	7.00
1 pair calipers	.25
1 cutting chisel, 2 nail hammers	1.50
1 50-ft. steel tape	2.00
1 set 4-horse lead bars	2.00
17½ ft. 3½-in. leather belt	3.00
32 ft. 4-in. leather belt	9.00
3 branding irons	.70

45 bolts and washers	$1.00
4 horse neck-yokes	2.50
1 stone screen, 3 cant dogs	3.00
1 road machine blade lengthener	4.00
Ring for 20-in. sewer cap	1.00
50 ft. garden hose	5.00
Total	$1,713.40

Division No. 3.

Frank M. Sanborn, Superintendent.

1 snow roller	$ 80.00
1 road machine	50.00
1 tool box	3.00
3 brush scythes	3.00
3 snaths	1.50
1 ice chisel	1.50
20 steel snow shovels	10.00
2 iron bars	1.00
2 forks	1.00
1 bush hook	.75
4 picks	3.00
2 shovels	1.00
4 blast drills	2.00
1 hammer	1.00
1 sod cutter	.30
4 hoes	2.00
3 grub hoes	1.50
4 rakes	2.00
1 nail hammer, 1 oil can	.60
1 paving hammer	1.00
1 pair long reins	3.00
2 stone forks, 1 hand saw	1.50
1 sickle	.15
2 lbs. powder and can	.60
Total	$171.40

Division No. 4.

William A. Smith, Superintendent.

1 road machine with runners	$ 150.00
1 snow roller	80.00
1 tool box	3.00
1 shed	75.00
1 sidewalk scraper	5.00
2 chains	4.00
1 stone lifter	15.00
4 hoes	1.00
1 wooden and 15 steel snow shovels	6.00
10 picks, 2 grub hoes	6.00
9 iron rakes, 4 steel bars	3.80
2 bush hooks, 3 brush scythes and snaths	4.00
1 hand axe, 1 hand saw	1.50
1 nail hammer, 12 lanterns	3.90
1 wheelbarrow, 1 fork wrench	1.00
1 monkey wrench, 1 post spoon	1.50
10 spades, 1 tamping iron, 1 water pail	5.60
2 whiffletrees, 1 neck-yoke	3.50
2 paint brushes	1.30
6 square-point shovels	3.00
2 striking hammers	2.00
4 plug drills and wedges	2.00
3 pick mattocks	1.80
1 long-handle shovel	.50
1 plumb bob, 1 whetstone,	.20
2 stone forks, 2 dung forks	1.70
1 50-ft. tape	2.00
1 pt. can black varnish	.30
1 scythe and snath, 1 drill hammer	1.40
Fuse and can	.40
2 oil cans, 1 spoon	.30
1 turf cutter	.50
10 pick handles	1.00
7 blast drills, 1 branding iron	3.00
2 oil cans, 1 hatchet	2.00

1 12-in. Y	1.00
52 ft. 8-in. sewer pipe	5.60
6 ft. 18-in. sewer pipe	3.00
1 6-in. Y	.40
1 10-in. bend	.80
1 8-in. bend	.50
1 sewer stopper	.50
Total	$405.00

PROPERTY AT CITY STONE CRUSHER LOT.

Stone crushing plant complete	$2,500.00
2¼ tons old rails	40.00
Old timbers	5.00
1 flat car	40.00
1 ladder	1.00
1 derrick	60.00
125 ft. stone curbing	44.00
1 stone scale	10.00
Total	$2,700.00

PROPERTY AT STREET COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE.

6 picks	$ 4.50
6 hoes	6.00
2 scythe handles	1.50
10 brooms	8.00
5 round-point shovels	6.00
1 snow shovel	.25
7 street brushes	5.00
1 horse sling	10.00
1 can Flake Graphite	.75
3 notices	.10
1 medicine kit	8.00
2 cans Kimball's Metal Polish	1.50
Total	$ 51.60

Total valuation of property in street department $12,388.21

Financial Report.

VALUATION, 1900.

Polls, 2,209	$220,900.00
Real estate	3,376,868.00
Horses, 697	36,546.00
Oxen, 12	530.00
Cows, 429	9,342.00
Other neat stock, 132	2,436.00
Sheep, 43	240.00
Hogs, 23	180.00
Fowls, 260	84.00
Carriages, 103	9,044.00
Stock in public funds	7.000.00
Stock in banks and other corporations in this state	112,568.00
Money on hand, at interest or on deposit	92,744.00
Stock in trade	300,764.00
Factories, machinery, etc.	323,020.00
Buildings not designated	8,518.00
Total valuation	$4,500,784.00

Valuation of Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5	$3,307,112.00
" " Ward 6	1,193,672.00
	$4,500,784.00

Taxes assessed	$97,963.60

Tax on $1,000, Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5	21.50
" " Ward 6	22.50

APPROPRIATIONS,

MADE APRIL 30, 1900.

State tax	$ 9,061.00
County tax	13,722.38
Schools	23,000.00
Highways and bridges (17,000.00) (horse road roller, $500.00)	17,500.00
Concreting	500.00
Fire department	4,500.00
Hydrant service	2,400.00
Street lighting	6,700.00
Police department	5,100.00
Police court	400.00
Sewer maintenance	1,200.00
Sewer construction	500.00
City engineering	500.00
Public library	1,000.00
City clocks	200.00
Health department	300.00
Parks	100.00
Memorial day	230.00
Support of poor	800.00
Aid furnished dependent soldiers and families	100.00
Cottage hospital	500.00
Miscellaneous expenses	2,500.00
Salaries	3,000.00
Interest on bonds and notes	9,500.00
Payment of Nos. 9 and 10 funding bonds	2,000.00
Payment of Nos. 11 and 12 Ward six notes	1,000.00
Interest on Ward six coupon notes	341.25
	$106,654.63

REPORT OF CITY CLERK.

To the City Council:

The following is an account of the money collected by me for the city for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901, and the sources from which the same was received:

DOG LICENSES.

Male dog, for balance of year	0.33
" dogs " " 4, at $1 . . .	4.00
" " 272, at $2	544.00
Female dogs, 37, at $5	185.00
	$733.33
Less fees deducted by city clerk, 314, at 20c . .	62.80
Paid city treasurer	$670.53

BILLIARD AND POOL TABLE LICENSES.

E. A. Chase, 1 billiard table, 2 pool tables . . .	$30.00
H. H. Caldon, 1 pool table	10.00
R. H. Griffin, 1 billiard table, 1 pool table . . .	20.00
Frank E. Farwell, 1 pool table	10.00
William Mongeon, 1 " "	10.00
F. C. Willis, Hotel Weirs, 1 billiard table, 1 pool table, (summer hotel license)	8.00
H. A. Cass & Perley S. Braley, 1 billiard table, 1 pool table, for balance of year	13.33
Michael Smith, 1 pool table, for balance of year	3.33
Paid city treasurer	$104.66

LICENSES TO SHOWMEN.

Gentry's Dog & Pony Show	$3.00
J. C. Rockwell's Company	6.00
Paid city treasurer	$9.00

SUPPORT OF POOR ACCOUNT.

Received of Thomas Killourhy for one-half expense of keeping Mrs. Bridgett Killourhy at N. H. Insane Asylum for months of August, September, October, November, December, 1900, January, 1901	$52.00
Paid city treasurer	$52.00

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. Frye, City Clerk.

REPORTS of TAX COLLECTOR.

LACONIA, N. H., June 25, 1900.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit my report as tax collector from February 15th, 1900, to June 25th, 1900, inclusive.

Amount due February 15, 1900 on 1892 list . .			$32.84
" collected			32.84
Amount due Feb. 15, 1900 on 1898 list . .		$835.45	
" of interest collected		30.50	
		$865.95	
Amount collected		270.43	
" due city			$595.52
Amount due Feb. 15, 1900 on 1899 list .		$16,783.80	
" of interest collected		554.98	
		$17,338.78	
Amount collected	$16,167.14		
" abated	219.85		
		$16,386.99	
" due city			951.79
Total due city			$1,547.31

SUMMARY.

Whole amount collected Feb. 15, 1900 to June 25, 1900	$16,470.41
Whole amount of interest collected	585.48
" " of abatements	219.85
" " due city	1,547.31

Respectfully submitted,

FRED A. YOUNG, Tax Collector.

LACONIA, N. H., Feb. 15, 1901.

To the City Council:

I herewith submit my report as tax collector from June 25, 1900, to February 15, 1901, inclusive.

Amount due June 25, 1900, on 1898 list	$ 595.52	
Amount of interest collected	11.49	
	$ 607.01	
Amount collected	103.80	
" due city		$ 503.21
Amount due June 25, 1900, on 1899 list	$ 951.79	
Amount of interest collected	7.63	
	$ 959.42	
Amount collected	260.61	
" due city		698.81
Amount of 1900 list	$ 97,963.60	
" of added taxes,	189.80	
" of interest collected	55.13	
	$ 98,208.53	
Amount collected $79,410.19		
" abated 808.20		
	$ 80,218.39	
" due city		17,990.14
Total due city		$ 19,192.16

SUMMARY.

Whole amount collected June 25, 1900, to Feb. 15, 1901	$ 79,774.60
Whole amount of interest collected	74.25
" " of abatements	808.20
" " due city	19,192.16

Respectfully submitted,

FRED A. YOUNG, Tax Collector.

CITY TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the City Council:

I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions of this department for the year ending Feb. 15, 1901:

RECEIPTS.

To cash on hand, Feb. 15, 1900	$2,716.82
Taxes, 1900, F. A. Young, collector	79,410.19
" 1899, " " "	16,427.75
" 1898, " " "	374.23
" 1892, " " "	32.84
Property sold for taxes, 1898 list, F. A. Young, collector	256.49
Dog licenses, S. C. Frye, city clerk	670.53
Billiard licenses, S. C. Frye, city clerk	104.66
Show " " " "	9.00
Support of Poor, " " "	52.00
Highways and bridges, E. R. Davis, street commissioner	271.07
Sewer maintenance. E. R. Davis, superintendent of sewers	319.50
Concreting account, E. R. Davis, street commissioner	57.06
City engineering, E. R. Davis, city engineer .	.50
Police court, H. K. W. Scott, city marshal . .	2,174.41
" " M. B. Plummer, clerk	16.50
Costs in J. H. Fellows case, S. S. Jewett, Solr.	30.44
Bequest for park, N. B. Gale Est.	5,000.00
Interest on bequest, N. B. Gale Est.	779.44

School department, tuitions, J. H. Blaisdell, superintendent	$ 62.40
Insurance tax, State of New Hampshire	187.50
Railroad tax, " " "	4,026.53
Savings-bank tax, State of New Hampshire	6,490.56
Literary fund, " " "	724.50
Sewer construction, W. Clow & Son	100.00
Insurance on Harvard street school-house	4,000.00
Public Libraries	81.66
Notes	41,700.00
Miscellaneous receipts	301.15
Trust funds deposited with city for care of lots in cemeteries	681.85
	$167,059.58

DISBURSEMENTS.

Schools	$22,934.88
Highways and bridges	17,252.73
Fire department	4,588.62
Police department	5,095.24
Street lights	6,907.50
Support of poor	1,041.71
Parks	100.00
Memorial Day	230.00
Public libraries	1,081.66
County tax	13,722.38
Concreting	559.08
Hydrants	2,250.00
State tax	9,061.00
Sewer maintenance	1,348.61
Dog license account	32.25
Tax rebates	2.15
Sewer construction	699.52
City engineering	363.27
Weirs Road	3.90
City clocks	192.96

Cottage Hospital	$ 500.00
School houses and lands	6,035.43
Police court	1,318.09
Land damages	1,422.63
Miscellaneous liabilities	50.00
W. F. Gray trust fund	1.00
Health department	292.21
Salaries	3,140.06
Miscellaneous expenses	2,093.28
Ward 6, notes	1,000.00
Funding bonds, Nos. 9 and 10	2,000.00
Coupons, town bonds	2,700.00
Coupons, sewer and funding bonds	4,700.00
Coupons, funding bonds	840.00
Interest	1,613.54
Interest Ward 6 notes	341.25
Notes paid	48,650.00
Property purchased at tax sale	839.50
Balance cash on hand Feb. 15, 1901	2,055.13
	$167,059.58

Respectfully submitted,

A. W. Dinsmoor, City Treasurer.

REPORT OF

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

To the City Council:

The books of the city treasurer have been examined and compared with those of the city clerk, by your committee on finance, and found correct, with proper vouchers on file for all payments.

All bills allowed by the committee on accounts and claims, the payment of which has been authorized by the city council, have been paid.

The sources from which the income of the past year has been derived have also been examined, and the treasurer has charged himself with the amount received and has made a correct statement of the same in detail. The balance of cash in the hands of the treasurer is two thousand, fifty-five and 13-100 dollars ($2,055.13.)

E. Tetley,
A. C. Wyatt,
W. L. Melcher,
Committee on Finance.

CITY EXPENSES.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1901.

Being an itemized account made up from the books of the city clerk, of the payments made by the city treasurer on account of running expenses.

The arrangement of the details of expenditures which follows, is intended to give such information as is desired by the public.

Items of payment to the same person or firm at different times are included in the aggregate amount given, if paid for the same objects. By notices in the local press and otherwise, efforts have been made to ascertain and pay all approved bills to date.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Appropriation	$ 9,061.00
Paid Solon A. Carter, treasurer, state tax	9,061.00
Received insurance tax	187.50
" railroad tax	4,026.53
" savings bank tax	6,490.56
" literary fund	724.50
	$11,429.09
Transfer account	$11,429.09

COUNTY OF BELKNAP.

Appropriation	$13,722.38
Paid M. M. Robinson, treasurer, county tax	13,722.38

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Appropriation	$17,500.00
Cash receipts, (see St. Commissioner's report)	271.07
Fire Dept., board of horses 1 year and services of driver	202.00
Land damage account, filling Mrs. Adelia Prescott's yard	70.36
	$18,043.43

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Geo. W. Allen, harness supplies	$23.25
C. W. Abbott, metal polish	1.25
A. B. Black, road roller	400.00
A. B. Black, sewer pipe and supplies	521.04
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., lumber, etc	129.05
Arthur Bean, hay	55.87
B. & M. R. R., freight	95.52
Belknap Publishing Co., publishing notice	3.50
B. F. Bean, straw	14.28
H. E. Brawn, supplies	2.87
A. M. Cotton, hay	4.40
Cook's Lumber Co., timber and brick	115.85
Cole Mfg. Co., supplies	10.87
L. D. Clark, concreting	245.06
S. B. Cole, stone curbing	30.10
W. G. Cram, grain	9.55
E. J. Dinsmore, harness supplies and repairs	11.90
D. L. Davis, fuel	7.13
John T. Dodge, hay	99.90
Theodore Dodge, shavings	14.25

Edwin R. Davis, services as Street Comr. . . .	$568.75
" " expenses paid	15.67
Dodge & Phelps, hay	61.33
G. F. Dame, supplies, etc.	29.20
R. N. Dana, pipe	3.60
Geo. H. Everett, peat moss	3.25
D. H. Elliott, express and freight paid and carting	2.21
Edson Mfg. Co., street sweeper	300.00
General Electric Co., meter	6.49
Good Roads Machinery Co., repairs	34.30
Gilman Bros., grade	44.95
Ed. Hamilton, labor	3.00
J. F. Harriman, supplies	3.50
W. D. Huse, labor and supplies	38.67
E. S. Hodgdon, blacksmithing	61.24
I. D. Head, hay	52.56
Read Holliday & Sons, disenfectant	17.50
F. W. Johnson, repairs	4.50
Laconia Electric Lighting Co., lighting stables .	96.66
Laconia Hardware Co., supplies	236.89
" Press Asso., advertising and printing .	5.35
" Lumber Works	150.74
" Car Company Works, iron wheels, lumber	11.50
Laconia Water Co,, use of sewer pump and supplies	7.30
Lake Company, grain	190.20
Charles F. Locke, supplies	30.70
Albert B. Ladd, harness repairs and supplies . .	33.65
Labaree Veterinary Medicine Co., medicines . .	12.03
Oscar A. Lougee, cloth	1.38
S. D. McGloughlin, blacksmithing	133.19
R. F. Moore, D. V. S., professional services . .	52,35
J. S. Morrill, grain	220.68
A E. Martell & Co., supplies	9.50
James McGloughlin, castings	119.54
D. K. Marsh & Co., grain and use of team . . .	172.20

Geo. H. Mitchell, supplies,	$ 2.52
A. L. Morrison, labor	.50
Geo. A. Morrison, sprinkling	1.50
F. H. Moore, grain	86.50
William Nelson, services as street commissoner	81.25
" " expenses paid	1.60
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	12.85
Mrs. Margaret O'Loughlin, hay	31.40
Eben P. Osgood, labor	1.00
Mrs. C. W. Pickering, rent of stable	120.00
Philbrook Bros., team hire	2.00
J. P. Pitman & Co., supplies	4.88
Perrin, Seamans & Co., supplies	55.40
Plummer & Thompson, medicines	2.07
C. H. Perkins, use of team	.75
J. L. Roberts, coal	23.50
A. F. Rublee, blacksmithing	20.79
John Parker Smith, supplies	67.59
Geo. E. Sanborn, hay	24.30
J. S. Smith & Co., labor and supplies	66.88
J. Henry Story, medicines	1.05
Herbert W. Sanborn, housing road machine	1.50
Geo. H. Sampson, forcite	72.00
Stone & Hill, mason work	6.40
F. M. Sanborn, lumber	43.49
W. B. Stevens, labor	.60
Tucker & Clark, supplies	5.88
H. Thompson, supplies	5.50
Lyman F. Veazey, hay	204.36
Whitcher & Davis, blacksmithing	10.33
F. A. Wadley, blacksmithing	1.70
Weeks Bros., printing	16.00
Horace G. Whittier & Co., labor and supplies	1.28
A. W. Wilcox, teaming	1.50
Pay rolls	11,743.64
Transfer account, balance unexpended	790.70
	$18,043.43

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation	$23,000.00
Received of Oscar White, tuition	24.00
" Sadie Lamprey "	12.50
" Algia Farrar "	15.90
" Roscoe Follett "	10.00
	$23,062.40

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

American Book Co., books	100.76
Alvin Abbott, cash paid for supplies	35.50
John L. Aldrich, labor	11.00
Allyn & Bacon, books	12.00
Morrill Ames, labor, etc.,	27.93
Joseph B. Ayer, transport scholars	46.80
J. P. Atkinson, supplies	2.96
Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies	338.62
C. E. Bruce repairing clocks	6.25
E. G. Baker, printing	3.50
J. H. Blaisdell, cash paid freight, express and school tickets	79.20
Board of Education, salary	90.00
F. J. Barnard & Co., books	55.62
James T. Bugbee, supplies	9.00
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., shingles, cases, etc.	138.48
H. E. Brawn, furnace grate bars	9.78
E. A. Chase, rent of school room	137.50
Thomas Clare, labor	8.10
T. H. Castor & Co., books	1.80
W. G. Cram, wood	3.00
I. M. Cottrell, rent of opera house	15.00
C. A. Clark & Co., printing	21.50
J. S. Chase, labor	1.50
Frank Childs, labor	3.80
Chandler Adj. Chair & Desk Works, supplies	16.80

City Market, supplies	$ 1.12
Cutter, Tower & Co., supplies	2.25
Oliver Ditson & Co., supplies	1.44
E. M. Drury, supplies	6.25
G. F. Dame, labor and supplies	15.85
D. L. Davis, wood	6.00
DeWolfe, Fisk & Co., book	9.25
Diamond Paste Co., paste	2.33
D. H. Elliott, carting	41.20
Mrs. S. F. Everett, labor and ribbon	8.75
Earle Ink Co., ink	8.00
C. L. Eddy, supplies	16.67
Eimer & Amend, supplies	37.76
T. F. Ford, labor	3.85
Frost & Adams, crayons	.43
Ginn & Co., books	201.87
Thos. J. Guay, labor	17.05
M. J. Gurley, labor etc.	2.15
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies	99.30
D. C. Heath & Co., books	38.47
Henry Holt & Co., books	12.42
Warren D. Huse, labor and supplies	135.57
J. F. Harriman, supplies	16.70
H. F. Hilliard, labor and kindlings	9.75
Read Holliday & Sons, Ltd. supplies	7.50
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books	29.36
F. A. James, labor	80.90
Geo. F. King & Co., supplies	76.95
E. L. Kellogg & Co., books	8.13
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co., supplies	7.53
Laconia Street Railway, school tickets	354.90
" Hardware Co., supplies	39.68
" Lumber Works, lumber	9.94
" Press Asso., printing	33.50
" Water Co., water, one year	69.05
W. H. Lamprey, labor	3.60

Chas. F. Locke, supplies	$ 7.58
Ezra Lovejoy, cleaning clocks	1.00
Lee & Shepard, books	6.75
Maynard, Merrill & Co., books	25.08
The Macmillan Company, books	3.03
D. K. Marsh & Co., wood	108.68
Melcher & Prescott Agency, insurance	10.00
J. H. Morris & Co., slating, etc.	52.20
Chas. S. Mason, stock and labor	30.00
Lyman Marsh, labor	3.00
W. J. Morrison, wood	12.00
Geo. H. Mitchell, repairs and supplies	4.55
J. B. Moore, repairs and supplies	2.95
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	24.86
Charles J. O'Connor, labor	2.25
John O'Connor, labor and supplies	15.85
Fred H. Osgood, cash paid for supplies, etc.	6.45
O'Shea Furniture Co., furniture	75.60
E. A. Page, painting blackboards	2.50
People's church, rent	225.00
J. P. Pitman & Co., supplies	26.34
W. L. Prescott, insurance	130.00
Chas. R. Pease, tuning piano	2.00
J. L. Roberts, fuel	1,071.75
Rand, McNally & Co., books	5.28
Geo. H. Roby, wood	140.40
W. M. Rickert, repairs on desks, etc.,	38.90
Scott, Foresman & Co., books	42.80
Silver, Burdett & Co., books	80.17
Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., rental	3.50
J. Henry Story, supplies	2.50
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books	13.29
C. E. Swain, labor and transportation scholars	86.00
H. W. Stone, filling in diplomas	1.85
Geo. A. Sanborn, labor	8.25
Wesley D. Sanborn, key	.90

John Parker Smith, supplies	$22.46
J. S. Smith & Co., supplies	5.58
W. F. Seaverns, glass and setting	.65
Sibley & Ducker, books	5.21
Thompson, Brown & Co., books	29.50
H. Thompson, supplies	1.84
Dominick A. Trojano, transportation scholars'	32.25
G. W. Tarlson, supplies	1.65
University Pub. Co., books	16.42
Werner School Book Co., books	100.64
W. Gas & Electric Light Co., gas	19.40
Williams & Rogers, supplies	14.40
Horace G. Whittier & Co., labor	24.50
William Ware & Co., book	11.00
Fred A. Young, insurance	150.00
Janitors' pay rolls	1,246.96
Teachers' pay rolls	16,387.29
Transfer account, balance unexpended	127.52
	$23,062.40

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation	$4,500.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	290.62
	$4,790.62

PAID AS FOLLOWS.

Am. Electrical Works, vitriol	$65.70
Fred Archibald, labor	5.00
C. A. Andrews, services Hose Co. No. 2	17.50
J. P. Atkinson, supplies	2.15
Fred B. Brown, labor	18.55
Dr. H. S. Beckford, services	5.00
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., lumber, etc.	5.53

Henry K. Barnes, supplies	$ 4.00
Beattie Zinc Works Co., battery zincs	37.50
H. E. Brawn, supplies	7.84
Albert H. Bagley, services Hose Co., No. 6	10.23
Bennett & Watson, supplies	1.40
E. E. Cutting, labor	22.80
Cornelius Callahan Co., hose and repairs	256.25
S. B. Cole, stone curbing	2.97
C. H. Corliss, labor	5.30
Nelson Dionne, labor	5.30
B. F. Drake, rent	12.00
Theodore Dodge, plank	4.96
John H. Dow, fuel	13.80
Xavier Delisle, services Hose Co. No. 3	6.25
B. F Drake, Jr., labor	.80
Frank Deblois, labor	1.40
W. E. Decrow, fire alarm box and repairs	162.62
H. P. Dimond, labor	11.40
E. J. Dinsmore, harness, repairs, etc	10.10
R. W. Durham, services steamer Co.	15.00
Charles Deblois, services	20.80
C. C. Dame, labor	.80
John L. Foster, teaming	1.00
L. C. Floyd, services Hose Co. No. 2	7.50
W. E. Foster, supplies	.70
J. D. Flack, teaming	1.00
Willis E. Floyd, labor	3.50
Albert Griffin, services, assistant engineer	50.00
" " cash paid for expenses	2.65
Geo. E. Gotham, labor	10.00
William Harris, services, assistant engineer	50.00
Dr. A. H. Harriman, services	11.50
A. E. Howe, use of team	2.00
W. J. Haddock, services, Hose Co. No. 2	20.00
Wilbur A. Hawkins, services, Hose Co. No. 6	5.67
W. D. Huse & Sons, steam for fire alarm	250.00

Thos J. Hyde, services	$23.33
Highways and bridges account, board of horses and labor	202.00
E. N. Jerry, labor	.80
Carl Jerry, labor	.80
Nelson Judino, labor	.80
E. H. Kennedy, services, Hose Co. No. 4	15.00
Laconia Lumber Works, lumber	5.50
" Water Co., water	6.83
" Electric Lighting Co., lighting	108.17
" Hardware Co., supplies	5.58
" Car Co. Works, wire	6.25
" Press Asso., printing	40.00
Chas. F. Locke, supplies	2.75
Edw. Lepage, labor	1.40
S. D. McGloughlin blacksmithing	9.65
J. E. Maloney, use of horse	2.00
Manchester Locomotive Works, repairs engine	22.77
D. K. Marsh & Co., use of horse and fuel	27.35
C. W. H. Moulton, ex. ladder	100.00
Miller Smoke Protector Co., protectors	20.00
E. B. McLosky, use of teams	3.00
F. E. Moore, wood	2.50
G. H. Mitchell, electric lamps	1.25
George Nadeau, labor	13.30
" " services, Hose Co. No. 3	10.42
Henry J. Odell, rent	12.50
E. P. Osgood, repairs, etc.	3.00
Frank J. Osgood, paper, etc.	6.51
O'Shea Bros., ribbon	6.75
Frank E. Pearson, services, H. and L. Co., No. 1	11.40
George Picard, meals for firemen	1.50
Plummer & Thompson, electric lamps	.22
Harry E. Philbrook, use of teams	5.00
Pease's City band, services at parade	35.00
E. A. Page, painting	.75

J. L. Roberts, fuel	$29.00
Mrs. N. D. Russell, board injured fireman	15.00
Philip Rheaume, repairing rubber coats	.75
Rublee's band, services at parade	35.00
Fred K. Sanborn, labor	9.00
J. M. Sanborn, labor and supplies	7.00
" " services, Asst. Engineer	50.00
Standard Time Co., striking 12.30 signal	25.00
J. S. Smith & Co., supplies	3.82
Wm. W. Saunders, services, Supt. fire alarm	150.00
" " labor	47.60
Joe B. Sanborn, labor, etc.	1.35
Stovene Mfg. Co., metal polish	1.60
Stone & Hill, labor	4.50
Chas. H. Sanborn, labor	1.60
Clayton V. Stanley, services	25.00
M. H. Tatham, labor	4.80
Winn. Gas and Electric Co., gas	2.00
A. W. Wilcox, services as Chief Engineer	100.00
" " teaming and ex. paid	30.15
M. C. Wilkinson, nursing injured fireman	3.00
Howard W. Wheeler, labor	1.40
Frank A. Wadley, whiffletree	2.25
R. L. Yeaton, use of team	2.00

PAY ROLLS.

Steamer Co. No. 1	$ 293.75
H. & L. Co. No. 1	425.00
" " 2	450.00
Hose Co. No. 1	120.00
" " 2	345.00
" " 3	132.50
" " 4	360.00
" " 5	100.00
" " 6	150.00
	$4,790.62

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation $5,100.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

J. P. Atkinson, supplies	$ 3.75
E. G. Baker, printing	20.00
Frank G. Beaman, index book	1.50
Frank A. Bailey, cash paid for supplies	2.60
Clarence E. Bruce, pens	1.50
Citizens Telephone Co., ex. bell service	2.55
Cook's Lumber Co., book case	2.50
Lucian Dow, wood	3.25
Olin S. Davis, supplies	3.31
John H. Dow, fuel	14.75
F. F. Elkins, labor	3.25
E. A. Elsam, photos	3.10
S. A. French, badges	3.90
John W. Follett, framing map	2.00
J. F. Harriman, supplies	13.05
A. J. Hart & Son, team hire	2.00
E. G. Heath, labor and supplies	3.34
C. V. Knowlton, use of team	1.50
Laconia El. Ltg. Co., lighting	51.38
Lamson & Hubbard, caps	8.00
Laconia Hardware Co., supplies	1.45
Frank H. Lougee, chairs	4.60
Laconia Press Association, printing	5.75
O. H. Lewis, meals for prisoners	4.45
Chas. H. Locke, lunches, etc	3.15
Raphael Masstrangiato, helmets and caps	13.70
S. D. McGloughlin, iron rods	1.40
D. K. Marsh & Co., fuel	11.90
John B. Moore, glass, etc	1.90
Geo. F. Mallard, supplies	4.30
Melcher & Prescott, case for typewriter	1.00

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	$56.83
Odd Fellows Bldg. Association, rent	84.00
Geo. Picard, mileage and meals for prisoners	25.26
J. P. Pitman & Co., supplies	12.92
Plummer & Thompson, supplies	2.39
Philbrook Bros., team hire	9.75
Harry E. Philbrook, team hire	1.00
J. L. Roberts, fuel	12.10
Wm. Read & Sons, belts and clubs	9.50
H. K. W. Scott, expenses paid, etc	94.28
J. S. Smith & Co., supplies	3.63
Dr. H. L. Story, sign board	.75
W. D. Sanborn, electric lamps, etc	3.85
Winn. Gas & El. Co., gas	1.80
L. B. Woodman, use of teams	35.25
Pay rolls	4,541.10
Transfer account, balance unexpended	4.76
	$5,100.00

POLICE COURT.

Appropriation	$ 400.00
Received fines and costs, criminal cases	2,174.41
" " " " civil "	16.50
	$2,590.91

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

E. G. Baker, printing	3.75
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., closets, screens	50.70
County of Belknap, boarding prisoners	426.19
Geo. H. Everett, services as justice	300.00
Edson C. Eastman, books	8.50
Knight & Robinson, office furniture	71.60
Frank H. Lougee, office furniture	42.70
Laconia Press Association, printing	6.25

Masonic Temple Association, rent	$53.75
Geo. F. Mallard, rent	53.75
M. B. Plummer, services as clerk	100.00
E. A. Page, painting	11.25
W. M. Rickert, rep. chair	1.25
State Ind. School, keeping H. J. Stinson	78.00
J. S. Smith & Co., supplies	6.00
T. W. Thompson, services as justice	48.00
Winn. Gas & Electric Co., lighting	4.40
A. W. Wilcox, moving safe, etc	18.25
Transfer account, balance unexpended	1,272.82
	$2,590.91

SEWER MAINTENANCE.

Appropriation	$1,200.00
Received for sewer permits	315.00
" " plumbers' licenses	4.50
	$1,519.50

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

A. B. Black, pump hose	$28.00
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., scraper	1.25
Cole Mfg. Co., castings	2.72
Edwin R. Davis, services	306.24
" " expenses paid	1.65
D. H. Elliott, teaming	3.00
J. L. Foster, teaming	.50
M. G. Gurley, supplies	4.44
Laconia Hardware Co., supplies	2.19
" Water Co., water for sewers	692.84
C. F. Locke, supplies	5.41
Geo. H. Mitchell, sewer pipe and zinc	2.00
William Nelson, services	43.76
John Parker Smith, supplies	8.40

J. S Smith & Co., supplies	$ 9.64
W. M. Stevens, labor	2.25
W. B. Stevens, labor	2.00
Weeks Bros., printing	1.50
Pay rolls	230.82
Transfer account, balance unexpended	170.89
	$1,519.50

SEWER CONSTRUCTION.

Appropriation	$ 500.00
Received of H. B. Clow for part of cost of sewer on Washington street	100.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	99.52
	$699.52

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

A. B. Black, sewer pipe	$ 74.34
Mrs. A. C. Cochran, sand	1.20
Edwin R. Davis, expenses paid	4.10
G. F. Dame, pipe and supplies	47.84
D. H. Elliott, carting	3.15
J. L. Foster, teaming	.50
J. P. Fury, teaming	4.00
Chas. F. Locke, supplies	4.47
Laconia Hardware Co., supplies	.21
James McGloughlin, castings	29.44
Pacific Flush Tank Co., siphon	18.20
John Parker Smith, cement	6.50
J. S. Smith & Co., pipe and supplies	62.53
A. W. Wilcox, teaming	6.10
Pay rolls	436.94
	$699.52

CITY ENGINEERING.

Appropriation	$500.00
Received cash for note book	.50
	$500.50

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Benj. D. Benson & Son, letter-book and press	$ 8.35
Edwin R. Davis, services	262.50
Eugene Dietzgen Co., supplies	5.12
Laconia Hardware Co., supplies	.05
William Nelson, services	37.50
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	12.70
Weeks Bros., printing	1.50
Pay rolls	35.55
Transfer account, balance unexpended	137.23
	$500.50

CONCRETING.

Appropriation	$500.00
Received cash (see street commissioner's report)	57.06
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	2.02
	$559.08
Paid L. D. Clark	$559.08

SUPPORT OF POOR.

Appropriation	$800.00
Received of Thomas Killourhy for one-half expense of keeping Bridget Killourhy at N. H. Insane Asylum Aug. 1, '00, to Feb. 1, '01	52.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	189.71
	$1,041.71

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Mrs. G. W. Abbott, boarding C. H. Hendley . .	$ 25.19
City Market, aid to Jos. Roucher	147.35
" " aid Mrs. A. Laplante	171.25
" " aid Nelson Laramée	9.45
" " aid John Caverly	16.15
" " aid Benj. T. Rand	34.16
Frank Childs, aid Mrs. A. Laplante	12.00
D. L. Davis, aid B. F. Dow	3.20
W. E. Foster, aid Nelson Laramée	2.15
" " aid Benj. T. Rand	4.05
J. H. Gingras, aid Mrs. A. Laplante	12.20
John R. Leavitt, aid to B. F. Dow	31.53
Joseph Lapointe, aid to Mrs. A. Laplante . . .	1.10
Dr. J. N. Letourneau, aid to Mrs. A. Laplante .	16.50
Joseph C. Moore, aid to Wm. Leonard	35.00
N. H. Asylum for Insane, keeping Mrs. B. Killourhy	216.98
N. H. Asylum for Insane, keeping Wm. Leonard	116.58
Plummer & Thompson, aid Nelson Laramée . .	.50
" " prescriptions	1.60
" " aid B. F. Dow	.50
Mrs. Rosa Ruddy, boarding H. D. Barrett . . .	14.00
A. C. S. Randlett, services as overseer	50.00
J. L. Roberts, aid Mrs. A. Laplante	14.75
Mrs. Frank Stevens, aid Benj. T. Rand	1.50
Arthur Tucker, services as overseer	50.00
Tucker & Clark, aid B. F. Dow	4.02
Chas. Tardif, aid Mrs. A. Laplante	36.00
H. C. Weymouth, boarding H. Lovett	14.00
	$1041.71

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Appropriation	$300.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS.

Board of Health, salary six mos.	$100.00
Fred A. Floyd, cash paid out	.50
Geo. A. Collins, supplies for fumigating	1.30
J. Henry Story, " "	16.25
W. H. True, cash paid out	3.36
Families having contagious diseases were placed in quarantine by the board of health and supplied as follows:	
C. S. Bunker, rent to Wm. Sidney	9.00
H. P. Collins, groceries to C. H. Berry	10.55
G. Cook & Son, fuel to Mrs. Philo Rickert	1.75
Cram Bros., groceries to A. V. B. York	6.67
W. G. Cram, grain to M. C. Wallace	1.25
D. L. Davis, fuel to Alex Doherty	5.11
" " " A. V. B. York	11.12
" " " C. H. Berry	7.85
" " " E. E. Arnold	1.62
A. Eugene Hill, groceries to Frank Stevens	2.15
" " " Mrs. Philo Rickert	2.63
" " " Jas. Dalton	20.34
" " " Mrs. Rowen	2.51
I. D. Head & Son, milk to C. H. Berry	5.04
Dr. E. P. Hodgdon, services to A. V. B. York	34.00
J. R. Leavitt, groceries to Alex Doherty	7.47
" " " E. E. Arnold	10.78
Mutual B. & L. Asso., rent to Mrs. Ella Dodge	4.50
Plummer & Thompson, medicines, C. H. Berry	.75
" " " A. V. B. York	2.25
" " " Wm. Sheehan	.90
" " " Alex Doherty	.35
" " " F. S. Peaslee	.25

Plummer & Thompson, medicines, Fred Goss . .	$ .25
" " " E. E. Arnold .	1.70
M. Elvira Rowen, labor at C. H. Berry's	7.65
J. L. Roberts, fuel to Jas. Dalton	1.85
G. W. Sanborn & Son, milk to A. V. B. York . .	3.10
Tucker & Clark, groceries to " " . .	7.41
Transfer account, balance unexpended	7.79
	$300.00

HYDRANT SERVICE.

Appropriation	$2,400.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Laconia Water Co., 86 hydrants at $25	$2,150.00
Winnipiseogee Camp-Meeting Association, 4 hydrants at $25	100.00
Transfer account, balance unexpended	150.00
	$2,400.00

STREET LIGHTING.

Appropriation	$6,700.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	207.50
	$6,907.50

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Boulia, Gorrell & Co., glass	$ 4.12
H. E. Brawn, supplies	.72
Laconia Electric Lighting Co.	6,644.90
Chas. F. Locke, glass and setting	2.00
J. S. Smith & Co., supplies	1.76
W. A. Smith, lighting lamps at The Weirs . . .	63.70
H. A. Webster, lighting lamps, Ward 6.	190.30
	$6,907.50

CITY CLOCKS.

Appropriation	$ 200.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

E. C. Covell, care of North church clock	40.00
W. D. Heath, " " Park St. " "	50.00
Laconia Electric Lighting Co	96.00
Plummer & Thompson, electric lamps	6.96
Transfer account, balance unexpended	7.04
	$200.00

PARKS.

Appropriation	$ 100.00
Paid A. G. Folsom	$ 100.00

DOG LICENSE ACCOUNT.

Received for licenses	$ 670.53

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Albert Colby, services	$ 25.75
Herbert P. Merrill, damage to sheep	5.00
Philbrook Bros., use of team	1.50
Transfer account, balance	638.28
	$670.53

MEMORIAL DAY.

Appropriation	$ 230.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Darius A. Drake Post, No. 36	$ 115.00
John L. Perley Post, No. 37	115.00
	$230.00

SALARIES.

Appropriation	$3,000.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	140.06
	$3,140.06

PAID AS FOLLOWS.

Board of assessors	$700.00
A. W. Dinsmoor, city treasurer	150.00
S. C. Frye, city clerk	600.00
S. S. Jewett, city solicitor	300.00
Dr. G. H. Saltmarsh, city physician	16.67
Edmund Tetley, mayor	300.00
Fred A. Young, tax collector	644.60
Ward B. Hutchins, selectman, Ward 1	1.18
Fred E. Moore, " " 1	3.82
Eugene F. Dean, " " 2	5.00
Chas. M. Avery, " " 3	2.78
A. J. Dinsmoor, " " 3	1.67
A. T. Quimby, " " 4	2.30
Harry T. Burleigh, " " 4	1.03
H. N. Clay, " " 4	1.67
A. C. S. Randlett, " " 5	5.00
L. E. Hayward, " " 6	5.00
John O'Connor, supervisor, chairman	36.00
E. L. Filgate, " Ward 1	36.00
J. P. Morin, " " 2	38.00
C. E. Carroll, " " 3	38.00
C. L. Kimball, " " 4	38.00
W. J. Webster, " " 5	36.00
Geo. W. Cole, " " 6	38.00
C. F. Locke, " " 6	36.00
Inspectors of elections, pay-roll	48.00
Frank M. Sanborn, moderator Ward 1	3.00
A. C. Moore, " " 2	3.00
Est. Geo. H. Wilkinson, " " 3	1.00

E. S. Tilton,	moderator, Ward 3	$ 2.00
Wm. Nelson,	" " 4	3.00
C. C. Gilman,	" " 5	1.00
W. D. Veazey,	" " 5	2.00
E. D. Ward,	" " 6	3.00
L. J. Severance,	ward clerk, Ward 1	7.00
A. R. Merrill,	" " " 2	7.00
J. R. Chase,	" " " 3	7.00
R. C. Dickey,	" " " 4	4.67
A. C. Wyatt,	" " " 5	7.00
J. B. Sanborn,	" " " 6	4.67
		$3,140.06

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

Appropriation $2,500.00

PAID AS FOLLOWS.

Belknap Pub. Co., publishing notices	$ 4.55
Board of assessors, paid for copying inventory .	20.00
Blackbird Pen Co., pens	2.00
B. & M. R. R., labor, etc., Main street crossing .	5.50
I. M. Cottrell, dinners for ward officers	30.50
" " rent of opera house for election .	8.00
G. Cook & Son, wood, Ward 4	1.00
Cook's Lumber Co., glass, lumber etc., ...	2.00
Fred H. Coffin, printing	33.88
E. S. Cram, map	1.00
A. L. Davis, services and material, plans for school-house	15.20
Lena G. Davis, typewriting specifications . . .	4.00
Edson C. Eastman, books and supplies	18.65
J. B. Fitzpatrick, services	64.00
S. C. Frye, recording vital statistics	90.35
" " cash paid out, expenses, etc.	82.68

Farwell & Gilman, dinners, election Ward 3 . .	$ 4.00
" " " " " 4 . .	3.50
Willis E. Floyd, labor and supplies	4.68
F. L. Gilman, P.-M., stamped envelopes	85.70
E. F. Gilman, moving ward-room furniture . . .	.50
J. F. Harriman, supplies	2.70
Chas. M. Higgins & Co., ink	1.80
W. J. Haddock, iron and bolts, Ward 4 . . .	3.85
A. J. Hart & Son, team hire	1.50
S. S. Jewett, legal expenses	44.02
Laconia Water Co., water for troughs and fountains	100.00
Laconia Water Co., raising hydrants	68.66
" Lumber Works, check-list boards . . .	7.48
" Press Asso., advertising and printing . .	28.50
" " " printing city reports	308.75
" Hardware Co., supplies	3.00
" Street Railway, car for witnesses . . .	5.00
F. H. Lougee, mat	2.41
Chas. H. Locke, meals, ward officers	7.25
Mrs. S. C. Moore, dinners, election, Ward 1 . .	1.75
P. D. Maloney, dinners, election, Ward 6	3.50
Masonic Temple Asso., rent	550.00
Fred E. Moore, dinners, election, Ward 1 . . .	3.00
Geo. H. Mitchell, labor	4.20
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	18.64
O'Shea Furniture Co., rent of ward room and fuel	13.25
Odd Fellows Building Asso., rent of opera house	62.50
Philbrook Bros., team hire	1.50
Plummer & Thompson, prescription and vaccine	21.30
Putnam & Moulton, rent of ward room	5.00
George Picard, dinners, election, Ward 5	3.50
M. B. Plummer, list of conveyances	17.90
Pneumatic Hand Stamp Co., supplies	1.36
L. S. Perley, expenses paid	3.50
J. L. Roberts, wood	1.10

Salvation Army, rent of ward room	$10.00
Frank L. Sanders, binding reports, etc.	80.25
J. S. Smith & Co., sewer pipe	45.17
J. M. Sanborn, labor	2.25
J. C. Shannon, services, selling Moulton house .	5.00
J. R. Smith, water-trough, on Hilliard street . .	3.00
G. W. Tarlson, team hire, meals and labor, for assessors	4.25
Winn. Gas & Electric Co., gas and mantels . . .	4.00
Weeks Bros., printing	48.75
Fred A. Young, insurance, hose house, Ward 2 .	5.00
L. J. Severance, copy of record, Ward 1	2.00
A. R. Merrill, " " " 2	2.00
J. R. Chase, " " " 3	2.00
R. C. Dickey, " " " 4	2.00
A. C. Wyatt, " " " 5	2.00
J. B. Sanborn, " " " 6	2.00
Rev. Geo. F. Babbitt, marriage records returned	1.00
" I. W. Coakley, " " "	.25
" J. Roy Dinsmore, " " "	.50
" J. Erskine, " " "	.25
" J. E. Everingham, " " "	.50
" W. H. Getchell, " " "	1.75
" L. C. Graves, " " "	.25
" C. R. Hennon, " " "	.25
" Frank Hooper, " " "	.25
" J. B. Jordan, " " "	1.00
" L. Malvern, " " "	.50
" J. Monge, " " "	5.25
" Wm. W. Niles, " " "	.25
" Wm. P. Niles, " " "	.50
" M. C. Pendexter, " " "	.25
" Chas. L. Pierce, " " "	.50
" G. H. Rice, " " "	.75
" J. B. Slocum, " " "	.25
" A. L. Smith, " " "	.50

Rev. R. L. Swain,	marriage records returned	$ .50
" John E. Todd,	" " "	.25
" John E. Whitley,	" " "	.25
" F. L. Wiley,	" " "	.25
Simeon C. Frye, J. P.,	" " "	2.75
Albert T. Guay, J. P.,	" " "	.25
Dr. A. W. Abbott,	birth and death records	1.50
" C. S. Abbott,	" " "	6.50
" A. B. Coffin,	" " "	.25
" J. E. Dozois,	" " "	1.25
" O. W. Goss,	" " "	3.75
" A. H. Harriman,	" " "	4.00
" E. P. Hodgdon,	" " "	6.25
" A. J. LaFrance,	" " "	1.00
" J. N. Letourneau	" " "	13.00
" J. Monge,	" " "	6.00
" J. G. Quimby,	" " "	2.50
" G. W. Saltmarsh,	" " "	9.25
" W. H. True,	" " "	4.75
" H. C. Wells,	" " "	7.50
" R. W. Wiley,	" " "	7.75
" J. A. Wrisley,	" " "	.75
Transfer account, balance unexpended		406.72
		$2,500.00

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS, ETC.

Appropriation	$ 100.00
Transfer account, (unexpended)	100.00

COTTAGE HOSPITAL.

Appropriation	$500.00
Paid J. W. Ashman, Treas.	500.00

PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

Appropriation	$1,000.00
Received for fines, etc.	81.66
	$1,081.66

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

F. J. Barnard & Co., binding books	78.25
Julia S. Busiel, services	125.00
" " expenses paid	46.05
Olin S. Davis, services	200.00
" " expenses paid	1.24
Geo. H. Everett, insurance	15.00
H. E. Hooper, books	7.50
Charles E. Lauriat Co., books	1.66
Laconia National Bank, rent, two years	400.00
Melcher & Prescott Ins. Agency, insurance	41.75
Rumford Printing Co., binding books	12.10
Frank L. Sanders, binding books	18.01
Winn. Gas & Electric Co., gas	15.20
Weeks Bros., printing	3.00
W. F. Knight, treasurer board of trustees, balance of appropriation	116.90
	$1,081.66

REBATE OF TAXES.

Transfer account	$2.15

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

J. B. Chapman, error tax of 1899	$2.15

CONSTRUCTION OF WEIRS ROAD.

Transfer account, (no appropriation)	$3.90
Paid D. K. Marsh & Co., team hire	$3.90

SCHOOL HOUSES AND LANDS.

Received insurance on Harvard street school-house	$4,000.00
Transfer account, expended in excess of insurance	2,035.43
	$6,035.43

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

B. & M. R. R., freight	$ 42.82
Belknap Pub. Co., publishing adv.	1.50
Boulia, Gorrell & Co., lumber and finish	1,581.00
Cole Mfg. Co., supplies and casting	22.77
Mrs. A. C. Cochran, sand	5.20
Cook's Lumber Co., brick	41.20
L. D. Clark, concreting	32.94
W. E. Darrah, slating	335.90
" " blackboards	139.51
A. L. Davis, making plans	14.00
G. F. Dame, labor and supplies	40.43
L. M. Folsom, labor and stock	186.63
M. G. Gurley, repairing plumbing	42.87
J. E. Henry & Sons, lumber	425.68
P. F. Holahan, stone sills and labor	20.90
F. A. Hutchings, lathing	14.35
W. D. Huse, steam heating apparatus	1,204.00
Laconia Press Asso., advertising for bids	4.00
" Hardware Co., supplies	117.73
D. K. Marsh & Co., teaming	13.75
Orvis T. Muzzey, labor, supt. building	266.93
John O'Connor, paid for labor	2.00
J. L. Roberts, brick	8.50
Stone & Hill, plastering	209.00
John Parker Smith, supplies	26.60
J. S. Smith & Co., tinning roof, etc.,	39.64
H. H. Stone, labor, brick work	251.93

F. H. Vittum, building walls, etc.	$19.12
Weeks Bros., advertising for bids	2.85
A. W. Wilcox, teaming	13.60
Pay rolls	908.06
	$6,035.43

LAND DAMAGE ACCOUNT.

Transfer account, (no appropriation) $1,492.99

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Arthur C. Moore, sewer right of way	$75.00
Samuel C. Prescott, Weirs road	1,015.17
C. L. Kimball, Mathews street	1.00
E. F. Burleigh, " "	1.00
J. B. Mathews, " "	1.00
Mrs. A. J. Glidden, " "	57.00
Geo. and C. A. Sleeper, Mathews street	62 50
A. B. Black, (services and expenses of William Nelson, witness Weirs road case	87.16
Oscar Foss, Com'r, services Mathews street . .	20.00
J. F. Smith, " " " " . . .	25.30
C. D. Thyng, " " " " . .	27.50
E. P. Thompson, Clerk of Court, exp. Marsh hill road case	50.00
Highways and bridges account, filling Mrs. Adelia Prescott's yard	70.36
	$1,492.99

LICENSES.

Received for billiard and pool table licenses . .	$ 104.66
" licenses to showmen	9.00
	$113.66
Transfer account	$ 113.66

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

Received of	W. A. Brown, rent Moulton house	$ 200.00
"	John O'Connor, old lumber, etc	7.15
"	Fred Keasor, Moulton house	71.00
"	G. H. Clark, building	3.00
"	C. F. Locke, furnace	10.00
"	J. G. Quimby, furnace	10.00
"	Est. N. B. Gale, bequest for park	5,000.00
"	Est. N. B. Gale, interest on bequest for park	779.44
"	James H. Fellows, costs in suit against city	30.44
		$6,111.03
Transfer account		$6,111.03

WARD SIX COUPON NOTES.

Appropriation	$1,000.00
Paid Nos. 11 and 12	1,000.00

INTEREST ON WARD SIX COUPON NOTES.

Appropriation	$341.25
Paid coupons due in 1900	341.25

CITY OF LACONIA FUNDING BONDS.

Appropriation	$2,000.00
Paid bonds Nos. 9 and 10	2,000.00

INTEREST ON BONDS AND NOTES.

Appropriation	$9,500.00
Transfer account, amount overdrawn	353.54
	$9,853.54

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Interest on notes	$1,613.54
" Town of Laconia bonds	2,700.00
" City sewer and funding bonds	4,700.00
" City funding bonds	840.00
	$9,853.54

NOTES.

Owing on notes, Feb. 15, 1900	$36,970.00
Received on notes during year	41,700.00
	$78,670.00
Paid on notes during year	$48,650.00
Owing on notes, Feb. 15, 1901	30,020.00
	$78,670.00

PROPERTY SOLD FOR TAXES TO CITY OF LACONIA.

Balance of amount purchased of 1897 list (asset)	$42.41
Balance of amount purchased of 1898 list, Feb. 15, 1900	416.64
Interest collected (transfer account)	19.87
	$436.51
Amount repaid	256.49
Balance, (asset)	180.02
	$436.51
Amount purchased of 1899 list, (asset)	$839.50

MISCELLANEOUS LIABILITIES.

Appropriation for soldiers' monument, 1884 . .			$2,000.00
" " repairing canal covering, 1890			800.00
Due Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wilcox, land damage .			8.00
C. & M. R. R.,	"	"	2.00
M. C. Wallace,	"	"	1.00
John I. Folsom,	"	"	1.00
John T. Glazebrook,	"	"	1.00
Emma F. Wilmot,	"	"	1.00
G. L. Wallace,	"	"	1.00
J. N. Davis,	"	"	1.00
O. L. & A. J. Gilman,	"	"	1.00
E. A. Page,	"	"	1.00
Josie E. Sanborn,	"	"	1.00
Augusta A. James,	"	"	1.00
O. L. Sanborn,	"	"	1.00
A. G. Cook,	"	"	1.00
Mary C. Wilkinson,	"	"	83.33
Mrs. Hattie Henderson,	"	"	1.00
Henry Hanscombe,	"	"	145.17
Est. J. S. Wadleigh,	"	"	46.11
Est. E. E. S. Wadleigh,	"	"	329.34
Hay & Chase,	"	"	2.00
E. W. Batchelder,	"	"	32.37
Lake Co.,	"	"	1.00
H. C. Hay,	"	"	1.00
J. F. Sleeper,	"	"	1.00
Unpaid coupons, town of Laconia bonds, due July, 1900			40.00
Unpaid coupons, town of Laconia bonds, due January, 1901			40.00
			$3,544.32

INVENTORY OF CITY PROPERTY.

Library lot	$15,000.00
High school building and furniture	30.000.00
Bowman street school building and lot	12,000.00
Harvard " " " "	14,000.00
Gilford avenue " " "	9,000.00
Mechanic street " " "	9,000.00
Washington " " " "	2,500.00
School " " " "	1,000.00
Pear " " " "	1,000.00
Furniture in leased school rooms	500.00
J. C. Moore lot, Union avenue	370.00
Street Dept. as itemized in report St. Com'r	12,388.21
Fire Dept. as itemized in Chief Engineer's report	22,863.75
Cost of sewers	119,417.41
Furniture, safes and books, Mayor and City Clerk's office	1,081,00
Furniture and implements, City Engineer's office	241.95
Furniture and implements, sewer department	388.80
Safe and furniture in Assessors' office	65.00
Furniture in Council room	162.00
Furniture and safe, police department	300.00
	$251,278.12

TRANSFER ACCOUNT.

FEBRUARY 15, 1901.

Dr.

Appropriations	$106,654.63
Fire department	290.62
Sewer construction	99.52
Support of poor	189.71
Street lighting	207.50
Salaries	140.06
Concreting	2.02
Land damage account	1,492.99
Rebate of taxes	2.15
Taxes, 1900, abatements	808.20
" 1899, "	219.85
School houses and lands account, Harvard street school house	2,035.43
Miscellaneous liabilities, added	80.00
Interest on bonds and notes	353.54
Weirs Road, construction of	3.90
Interest on trust funds	17.85
Balance, gain	8,112.73
	$120,710.70

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State of New Hampshire	$ 11,429.09
Highways and bridges	790.70
Schools	127.52
Police department	4.76
Sewer maintenance	170.89
City engineering	137.23
Health department	7.79
Hydrant service	150.00
City clocks	7.04
Miscellaneous expenses	406.72
Dog license account	638.28
Police Court	1,272.82
Licenses	113.66
Aid to dependent soldiers	100.00
Taxes, 1900, list	97,963.60
" " added	189.80
" " interest collected	55.13
" 1899, " "	562.61
" 1898, " "	41.99
Miscellaneous receipts	6,111.03
Miscellaneous liabilities, settled	410.17
Property sold city for 1898 taxes, interest collected	19.87
	$120,710.70

ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$ 2,055.13
Gilford tax lists	2,167.57
Taxes, 1898	503.21
" 1899	698.81
" 1900	17,990.14
Property sold city for taxes, 1897	42.41
" " " " 1898	180.02
" " " " 1899	839.50
Balance net indebtedness	221,064.93
	$245,541.72

LIABILITIES.

Notes outstanding	$30,020.00
Ward six notes	9,000.00
Town bonds	65,000.00
S. & F. bonds	117,000.00
Funding bonds	20,000.00
Miscellaneous liabilities	3,544.32
Trust funds	950.00
Interest on trust funds	27.40
	$245,541.72

Net indebtedness, Feb. 15, 1900	$232,177.66
" " Feb. 15, 1901	221,064.93
Reduction of indebtedness	$11,112.73
Paid on bonds	3,000.00
Gain for 1900	$8,112.73

FINANCIAL CONDITION,

FEBRUARY 15, 1901.

Funded Debt.

Town of Laconia, sewerage bonds 4 per cent	$ 65.000.00	
City of Laconia, sewerage and funding bonds, 4 per cent	117.000.00	
City of Laconia, funding bonds, 4 per cent	20,000.00	
Ward Six coupon notes, 3½ p. ct.	9,000.00	$211,000.00

Floating Debt.

Notes outstanding	$ 30,020.00	
Miscellaneous liabilities	3,544.32	
Trust funds	950.00	
Interest on trust funds	27.40	$ 34,541.72
Total indebtedness		$245,541.72

Resources.

Cash in treasury, Feb. 15, 1901	2,055.13	
Due on Gilford tax lists	2,167.57	
" " tax list 1898	503.21	
" " " " 1899	698.81	
" " " " 1900	17,990.14	
Property sold to city for taxes	1,061.93	$ 24,476.79
Net debt, Feb. 15th, 1901		$221,064.93

TRUST FUNDS.

The following funds have been placed in the care of the city, in trust, the income to be expended in the care of various lots in cemeteries within the city, agreeably to chapter 40 of the Public Statutes, and a resolution of the city council adopted Nov. 27, 1899:

ADELIA G. MAXFIELD TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot No. 67, Hillside Cemetery.

Nov. 8, 1900, deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$100.00
Interest to Feb. 15, 1901	3.96

GEORGE L. BOYNTON TRUST FUNDS.

For care of Lots 9 and 10, Sec. 5, Bayside Cemetery.

Nov. 8, 1900, deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$50.00
interest to Feb. 15, 1900	.53

CORA M. CLAY TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot No. 164, Hillside Cemetery.

Aug. 16, 1900, deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$50.00
interest to Feb. 15, 1901	4.64

WATSON M. GRAY TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot 149, Sec. 4, Bayside Cemetery.

June 9, '99, deposited with City Treasurer	$100.00
balance of interest unexpended to Feb. 15, 1901	4.89

JAMES R. GRAY TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot No. 572, Union Cemetery.

Nov. 28, '99, deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$175.00
interest to Feb. 15, 1901	7.44

WILLIAM E. GRAY TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot 98, Sec. 3, Bayside Cemetery.

Mar. 1, 1900,	deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$50.00
	interest to Feb. 15, 1901	1.68

JOSIAH RUNDLETT TRUST FUND.

For care of Lot No. 434, Union Cemetery.

June 28, 1900,	deposited with City Treasurer . .	$75.00
	interest to Feb. 15, 1901	1.65

JOHN L. PERLEY TRUST FUND.

For Care of Lot No. 1, Union Cemetery.

June 28, 1900,	deposited with City Treasurer . .	$100.00
	interest to Feb. 15, 1901	2.20

JAMES M. FOSS TRUST FUND.

For Care of Lot 14, Sec. 6, Bayside Cemetery.

Jan. 29, 1901,	deposited with City Treasurer . . .	$250.00
	interest to Feb. 15, 1901	.41

VITAL STATISTICS.

Marriages Registered in the City of Laconia, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1900.

MONTH OF JANUARY.

Date.—1900.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation	Marriage.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married.
1	Galva Ill...	Walter Leroy Smith.. ...	Laconia.....	30	All white.	Teacher	Saxton's River, Vt.	Ransom E. Smith....	Westminster, Vt...	Wool deal'r	1st	Rev. John E. Todd, Galva, Ill.
								Flora E. Locke.....	Rockingham, Vt...	Housewife.		
		Adeline Decker Wagg.....	Boston.....	22		Lecturer.....	Lisbon, Me..	Alphonso F. Wagg..	Durham, Me.....	Farmer	1st	
								Ella E. Decker	Lagrange, Me.....	Housewife.		
1	Laconia....	Frederick J. Cunningham..	Laconia.....	50		Carpenter.....	Jefferson, Me.	Wm. E. Cunningham	Jefferson, Me.	Farmer... .	2d	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
								Anna M. Sears... ..	Wiscasset, Me.....	Housek'p'r		
		Harriet Francilla Stevens..	"	45		Housekeeper.	Sandwich.....	Levi G. Smith	Holderness.....	Farmer	2d	
								Almira P. George....	Sandwich.....	Housek'p'r		
1	"	Joseph Freeman Lafleur...	"	19		Blacksmith...	Bolton, P. Q.	Joseph Lafleur..	St. Robert, P. Q...	Blacksmith	1st	Rev. Chas. L. Pierce, Laconia.
								Idelia C. Fifield.....	Bolton, P. Q.....	Housewife.		
		Carrie Grace Webster	"	18		Domestic	Compton, PQ.	Charles Webster.....	.....	Farmer.....	1st	
								Nellie Ella Kilpatrick	Hillhurst, P. Q.....	Housewife.		
1	"	Cyprien Bédard.....	Gilford.....	45		Farmer	Ancienne Lorette, P. Q.	Michel Bedard.....	Ancienne Lorette..	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Rosalie Alin.....	Ancienne Lorette..	Housewife.		
		Elmire Hardy Langlais....	Laconia.....	45		Housekeeper.	St. Louis de Blanf'rd, P.Q.	Joseph Hardy.....	Montreal, P. Q.....	Farmer.....	2d	
								Adeline Fortin.....	Montreal, P. Q.....	Housewife.		
		Thomas Joseph Lessard...	Lincoln	20		Laborer.....	St. Elzear PQ.	Pierre Lessard.....	St. Elzear, P. Q. .	Farmer.....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
2	"							Celanire Routier.....	" "	Housewife.		
		Marie Malvina Sanfaçon...	Laconia	22		Mill operative	Berlin Falls .	Onsême Sanfalçon..	" "	Laborer....	1st	
								Caroline Perreault....	" "	Housewife.		
		Jissie Henry Reynolds.....	"	24		Laborer.....	Northwood ..	John Reynolds.....	Northwood	Shoemaker.	1st	Albert T. Guay, J. P , Laconia.
								Nellie ———— ...	Ohio.....	Housewife.		
5	"	Myrtle May Flanders.....	"	18		Mill operative	Wilmington.	Asa M. Flanders	Franklin.....	Farmer.. ..	1st	
								Mary Loverin.	Loudon	Housewife.		
		Alphonse Dutil.....	"	25		Laborer.....	St. Odilon Cr'b'rne, P.Q.	Anseame Dutil.....	St. Anselme, P. Q..	Laborer. ..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
7	"							Obéline Couture	Ste. Elèctine, P. Q..	Housewife.		
		Marie Celina Vaillancourt.	"	23		Mill operative	Broughton... P. Q.	Stanislas Vaillancourt	Broughton, P. Q...	Laborer....	1st	
								Philomene Gagné....	St. Elzear. P. Q...	Housek'p'r		
24	"	Edwin Alanson Town.....	Boston.....	56		Com. traveler	Roxbury	William Towne	. .....	Laborer....		Rev. J. E. Everingham, Laconia.
								Rebecca Foster.....	.....	Housewife.		
		Dorothy Jane Martin.....	Laconia.....	35		Milliner.....	Melbou'e, PQ.	George A. Martin....	Plymouth, Eng....	Laborer....		
								Hannah Johnson.....	Danville, P. Q.....	Housewife.		

29	Laconia....	Alfred Daniel Doucet....	Laconia.....	26	White	Mill operative	St. Geo. de Windsor, P.Q.	William Doucet.....	St.Geo. de Windsor	Mason.....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
		Leda Lacasse.....	"	24	"	"	Ste. Marg. de Dorchester, Q	Joseph Lacasse.....	Ste. Marguerite, Q.	Farmer....	1st	
		Marie Leclerc.....	Prov. Quebec.....	Housewife.								

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

1	Keene... ..	Herbert Milton Wood.....	Laconia.....	38	All white.	Watchman...	W. Lebanon.	James A. Wood.....	Portsmouth.....	Laborer....	1st	Rev. M.C. Pendexter, Keene.
		Sarah H. Woodward	Hanover	Housewife.								
		Gertrude Francena Woods	N. York city.	26		Cash. in Rest	New Boston..	Moses F. Woods	New Boston.....	Farmer	1st	
		Suzette Estella Fox..	New York, N. Y...	Housek'pr.								
1	Meredith...	Tilden Hendricks Avery...	Laconia.....	22		Painter	Plymouth....	Jasper E. Avery.....	Rumney.	Brickmaker	1st	Rev. Justus Erskine, Meredith.
		Mary R. Willey.....	Rumney.	Housewife.								
		Blanche Evelyn Pickering.	"	18		At home. ...	Meredith Ctr.	Charles F. Pickering	Laconia.....	Laborer	1st	
		Roxanna Webster...	Laconia.....	Housewife.								
3	Laconia....	Chester Hoyt Folsom.....	"	30		Spinner.....	Gilford.....	Peaslee H. Folsom..	Gilford	Laborer....	2d	Rev. Chas. L. Pierce, Laconia.
		Sarah Jane Preston..	Meredith	Housewife.								
		Carrie May Levoy.....	"	16		Mill operative	Potton, P. Q.	Lewis E. Levoy.....	Potton, P. Q.....	Teamster ..	1st	
		Minnie R. Gordon...	" "	Housewife.								
11	"	Joseph Henry Harrica.....	"	21		Tel. lineman.	Chateaugay, N. Y.	James A. Harrica....	Chateaugay, N. Y.	Harn'ssm'k	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
		Mary J. Gauthier....	" "	Housewife.								
		Odelie Maire Vallée.....	"	16		Mill operative	Broughton, P. Q.	Jean Vallée.....	SacreCoeurdeMarie	Mill oper..	1st	
		Zoë Racine.....	St. Elzear de Beauce	Housewife.								
17	"	Thomas Bégin.....	"	27		" "	St. Joseph de Levis, P. Q.	Thomas Bégin..... .	St. Joseph de Levis	Grocer.....	2d	Rev. Wm. W. Niles, Concord.
		Céline Leroux.....	St.Gervais, P. Q.	Housek'p'r								
		Marie Rosalie Goyette.....	Tilton.....	18		" "	Laconia.....	Joseph Goyette..... ..	Ste.Marie le Beauce	Mason.	1st	
		Marie Fecteau.....	Broughton, P. Q.	Housewife.								

MONTH OF MARCH.

21	"	Henry Thomas Colbath...	Laconia.....	25		Teamster ...	Sanbornville.	Charles W. Colbath..	Boston.....	Engineer...	1st	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
		Emma S. Bickford...	Wolfeboro.....	Housewife.								
		Dora May Tinker.....	So Wolfeboro	22		Mill operative	Lawrence, Ms	Charles A. Tinker..	Maine.....	Mill oper.	1st	
		Eliza. M. Whitworth	Lawrence, Mass....	Housewife.								

MONTH OF APRIL.

1	Laconia....	Wilfred Price.....	Milton, Mass.	28	All white.	Teacher.....	Gilmanton...	Ebenezer S. Price....	Gilmanton.....	Farmer	1st	Rev. John B. Jordan, Laconia.
		Mary J. Clay.....	Upper Gilmanton..	Housek'p'r								
		Emma Burleigh Chase	Laconia.....	23		At home.'....	Laconia.....	J. Sidney Chase.....	" "	Laborer....	1st	
		Alice H. Burleigh...	Dorchester.	Housewife.								
5	"	David Eugene Joyal.....	"	23		Knitter.....	Lowell, Mass	Ferdinand Joyal.....	St. François du Lac	Carpenter..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
		Odile Durand.....	" "	Housek'p'r								
		Edith May Colby.....	"	18		Mill oper.....	Bristol	Edwin A. Colby.....	Bridgewater.....	Painter	1st	
		Emily W. Littlefield	Randolph, Mass...	Housewife.								

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10	Manchester	William Graham Brown...	Laconia	60	All white.	Farmer... ...	Auburn.....	Nathaniel Brown....	Newburyp'rt, Mass	Blacksmith	2d	Rev. Frank Hooper, Auburn.... .....
								Sarah Graham.....	Chester.....	Housewife.		
		Ella Florence Hanson.....	Auburn.....	50		Teacher.....	Manchester..	Wyman O. Hanson..	Somersworth	Carpenter..	1st	
								Mary A. Martin	Chester	Housewife.		
20	Laconia....	Alfred Stone.....	Laconia.....	21		Painter	Laconia	Charles Stone..	St. Michel, P. Q....	Laborer ...	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J.P., Laconia.
								Flore Audette.....	Beaumont, P. Q....	Housewife.		
		Elizabeth Gertrude Silver..	"	24		Housekeeper.	Campton.....	Sylvester J. Philbrick	Meredith Centre...	Carpenter..	2d	
								Sarah J. Wallace....	Quincy	Housek'p'r		
25	"	Charles Zenas Rankin.....	"	45		Stone cutter..	Brompt'nPQ.	William Rankin.....	Henniker,.....	Farmer,....	2d	Rev. Geo. F. Babbitt, Laconia.
								Abigail Matthews....	Danville, P. Q.....	Housewife.		
		Eliza Marie Brown.....	"	49		Housekeeper.	Ashland, R.I.	Horace R. Battey....	Ashland, R. I.....	Farmer]....	2d	
								Adeline A. Works...	Connecticut..	Housek'p'r		
28	"	Edward Buffett Mowbray..	BayShoreNY	28		Lawyer	BayShoreNY	Jarvis R. Mowbray..	Islip, N. Y.....	Physician..	1st	Rev. Richard L. Swain Laconia.
								Ellen Smith.....	Hauppauge, N. Y..	Housek'p'r		
		Louise Lovell Tilton.....	Laconia.....	30		At home... .	Gilford	James H. Tilton.....	Sanbornton Bridge	Merchant..	1st	
								Eliza B. Lovell.	Meredith.....	Housewife.		
30	"	George William Horne....	Somersworth	22		Shoemaker...	Somersworth	George A. Horne....	Somersworth.....	Carpenter..	1st	Rev. John B. Jordan, Laconia.
								Annie E. Champlin..	East Wakefield....	Housek'p'r		
		Elizabeth Bryant Pillsbury	Rochester....	19		At home.....	Spri'gvaleMe	Joseph M. Pillsbury..	Shapleigh, Me...	Undertaker	1st	
								Mehitable E. Watson	Bethlehem.....	Housek'p'r		

MONTH OF MAY.

4	Laconia...	Edwin Carroll Wells.....	Laconia.....	20	All white.	Painter	New Hampt'n	Lyman B. Wells.....	Sanbornton	Painter	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Ellen J. Gordon.....	New Hampton.....	Housewife.		
		Ida May Baker.....	"	19		Domestic	Laconia	William Baker	Penacook.....		1st	
								Joanna Jenkins	"	Housewife.		
6	"	Joseph E. Vaillancourt....	"	25		Knitter.....	Sacre Coeur de Jesus, Q.	Stanislas Vaillancou't	Broughton, P. Q...	Farmer	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Philomene Gagné....	St. Elzear de Beauce	Housewife.		
		Marie Josephine Fortier...	"	19		Mill operative	Broughton Q.	Pierre Fortier.....	" "	Laborer....	1st	
								Mathildé Hébert.....	Ste. Mariede Beauce	Housewife.		

6	Laconia....	Louis Andrew Laramie....	Laconia.....	21	All white.	Knitter	Plattsburg, N. Y.	Louis Laramie.....	Chateaugay, N. Y.	Retired	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Marie Rose Martin..	Keysville, N. Y....	Housewife.		
		Delvina Drouin.....	"	22		Mill operative	Broughton... P. Q.	Philias Drouin.....	Broughton, P. Q...	Farmer	1st	
								Helene Provençal....	" "	Housewife.		
15	"	Henry Shedd Beckford....	Belmont.....	26		Physician....	Haverhill, Ms	Frank M. Beckford .	Salem, Mass.....	Attorney...	1st	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
								Kate Moocrs.....	Baltimore, Md.....	Housek'p'r		
		Eleanor BlaisdellRobinson	Laconia.....	22		At home.....	Laconia.....	John H. Robinson...	Meredith	Farmer... .	1st	
								Hannah G. Blaisdell.	Laconia.....	Housewife.		
27	"	Thomas Tardif.....	"	30		Laborer.....	St. Ange de Beance, P. Q.	Adrién Tardif.....	Ste.Marie deBeance	Farmer.. ..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Christine Boulay.....	St. Ange de Beance	Housewife.		
		Marie Rose D. Paquette.. .	"	21		Saleswoman..	St. Julian de Wolfstown Q.	Charles Paquette.....	St. Julian, P. Q. . .	Laborer. ..	1st	
								Sara Dubois	" "	Housewife		

MONTH OF JUNE.

4	Laconia....	William Pollard George...	Laconia.....	21	All white.	Laborer.....	Gilford.....	Charles A. George...	Bartlett.....	Bookkeep'r	1st	Rev. Wm. P. Niles, Laconia.
								Araminta J. Pollard..	Gilford	Housewife.		
		Emily Caroline Anderson.	"	23		Domestic	Baddeck, Cp. Breton Isl...	Andrew Anderson...	Baddeck, Cp. Bret.	Farmer....	1st	
								Gertrude Watson...	" "	Housewife.		
6	"	Irwin James Porter.....	Danville, PQ.	22		Dentist	Danville, PQ.	James A. Porter.....	Danville, P. Q.....	Dentist	1st	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
								Jenny L. Bishop.....	Landaff.....	Housewife.		
		Evelyn Mead Brady..	" "	22		Housekeeper.	" "	James Brady.....	Ireland	Farmer.....	1st	
								Sarah F. Field.....	Danville, P. Q.....	Housewife.		
9	"	Arthur Elbridge Rideout..	Laconia.....	23		Tr. Salesman	Greenw'd, Ms	Henry M. Rideout...	Benton, Me.....	Publisher..	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Adeline P. Wallace..	Rockland, Me	Housewife.		
		Olive Frances Bennett. ...	Meredith.....	18		At home.....	Meredith.....	Orrin F. Bennett.....	Milford.....	Laborer....	1st	
								Margaret Burke.....	Portland, Me	Housewife.		
14	"	Joseph Sylvia Amyotte....	Laconia.....	25		Mill operative	St. Augustine P. Q.	Joseph J. B. Amyotte	St. Augustine, P.Q.	Farmer	1st	" "
								Zelma Rodrigue.	Ste.Scholastique,Q.	Housewife.		
		Marie Emma Marchand....	"	25		Mill operative	St. Maurice, P. Q.	John Marchand.....	St. Maurice, P. Q..	Farmer....	1st	
								Marie Legris.....	"	Housewife.		
19	"	William Nutter Lowe.....	Hartford, Ct.	54		Business Mgr.	Cape Elizabeth, Me.	Nathaniel W. Lowe.	Portland, Me	Br. Builder.	2d	Rev. A. L. Smith, Laconia.
								Elizabeth A. Trickey	No. Yarmouth, Me.	Housek'pr.		
		Mary Louisa Osgood.....	Laconia.....	38		Mill operative	Belmont.....	Andrew L. Sanborn..	Gilmanton.....	Farmer	2d	
								Laura A. Robinson.	Belmont.....	Housek'pr.		

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2	Laconia....	Joseph Cléophas Gagné...	Laconia.....	32	All white.	Laborer.....	St.Lambertde Levis, P. Q..	Joseph Gagné.....	St. Isidor, P. Q...	Mill oper..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Virginia Paquette....	City of Quebec.....	Housewife.		
		Marie Josephine Tremblay	"	33		Housekeeper.	City of Queb.	John Leclerc.....	" "	Farmer	2d	
								Mérceline Plante.....	" "	Housewife.		
11	PortlandMe	Olin Lester Philbrook.....	"	24		Lumber M'fr.	East Tilton..	Lester Philbrook.....	Sanbornton.....	Stable k'p'n	1st	Rev. Lewis Malvern, Portland, Me.
								Anna J. Johnson.....	Bow.....	Housewife.		
		Julia Marie Burleigh	"	24		Teacher	Laconia.....	Gordon Burleigh	Dorchester.	Retired	1st	
								Mary J. Sanborn.....	Quincy, Mass.....	Housewife.		
16	Laconia....	MarcelinDominiq'e Nogues	"	26		Mill operative	Ibos, France.	Dominique Nogues..	Ibos, France	Carpenter..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Marie D. Lauzigot..	" "	Housewife.		
		Marie Olivine Auger.....	"	18		" "	Suncook.....	Joseph Auger.....	Deschambault,P.Q.	Laborer....	1st	
								Elmire Constant.....	St. Vallier, P. Q...	Housewife.		
18	"	Winfred Glenn Chamberlin	Penacook....	20		Laborer.....	Gaysville, Vt.	Loren W. Chamberlin	Gaysville, Vt.....	Carpenter..	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Anna Cutler...	"	Housewife.		
		Matilda Isabel Miner.	Boscawen....	18		Mill operative	Penacook....	Alfred Miner	Canada.....	Laborer....	1st	
								Sara Raymo,..... ...	Randolph, Vt . . .	Housewife.		
21	"	Geo. Albert Cunningham..	Laconia.....	24		Shoe-maker..	Jefferson, Me.	Albert J.Cunningham	Jefferson, Me.	Laborer....	1st	" "
								Ida F. Waltz.... ...	Nobleboro, Me.....	Housewife.		
		Grace Katherine Weaver..	"	24		Domestic	Leeds, Me...	George M. Weaver..	Stark, Me.....	Farmer... .	2d	
								Almira E. Taylor....	Mercer, Me.....	Housewife.		
23	"	George Albert McDonald..	Everett, Mass	26		Letter carrier	Charlestown, Mass.	Joseph H. McDonald	Boston, Mass.....	Painter....	1st	Rev. F. L. Wiley, Laconia.
								Sarah A. Gardner....	Liverpool, N. S ...	Housewife.		
		Gladys Dorothy Moore....	"	23		At home.....	Malden, Mass	John A. Moore.....	N. Vassalboro, Me.		1st	
								Myra G. Durant.. ...	Warren.....	Housek'p'r		
28	"	Edwin George Hutton.....	Laconia.....	25		Carriage Mkr	Richmond, Q.	George Hutton.....	Richmond, P. Q....	Carriage m.	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Julia Wells	No. Hatley, P. Q..	Housewife.		
		Edith Eliza Lewin.....	"	23		At home.....	Liverpool, Eg	James W. Lewin.....	Isle of Man, Eng..	Bookkeep'r	1st	
								Ellen Keene.....	Ireland	Housewife.		

MONTH OF AUGUST.

		Hubert Guay	Laconia	26	All white	Mill operative	St. Agathe de Lotbiniére, Q.	Majorique Guay	St. Joseph de Levis	Farmer	1st	
6	Laconia							Adele Mercier	" "	Housewife.		Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
		Mary Anne Morin	"	27		" "	Laconia	Joseph Morin	St. Lambert, P. Q.	Carpenter	1st	
								Marguerite Paradis	" "	Housewife.		
		Joseph Roy	"	21		Teamster	Dorchester	Joseph Roy	St. Leon de Standon	Laborer	1st	
20	"							Adelina St. Jacques	No. Hatley, P. Q.	Housewife.		" "
		Marie Eugénie Rousseau	"	19		Mill operative	St. Thomas de Montmagny	Eugene Rousseau	St. Thos. de Mont.	Molder	1st	
								Laure Boulanger	" "	Housewife.		
		Judson A. Cunningham	"	38		Board sawyer	Jefferson, Me.	Robt. M. Cunningham	Washington, Me.	Farmer	2d	
								Martha J. Clough	Jefferson, Me	Housewife.		Rev. John B. Jordan, Laconia.
29	"	Ida Belle Davis	"	37		Housekeeper.	Gilmanton	John Wentworth	Gilmanton	Cooper	2d	
								Sarah A. Hutchinson	"	Housewife.		

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

		Fred Andrew Sanborn	Laconia	25	All white.	Laborer	Belmont	Andrew L. Sanborn	Gilmanton	Farmer	2d	
1	Laconia							Laura A. Robinson	"	Housewife.		Rev. A. L. Smith, Laconia.
		Effie Jane Bice	"	21		Domestic	E. Bolton, Q.	John Henry Bice	Stukely, P. Q.	Wooddeal'r	1st	
								Elizabeth M. Coons	Sutton, P. Q.	Housewife.		
		Roy David Kendall	"	26		Salesman	St-Johnsbury, Vt	Frederick F. Kendall	Lyndon, Vt.	S'll'r of w'ts	1st	
3	"							Louisa J. Bagby	Cincinnati, Ohio	Housek'p'r		Rev. Joel B. Slocum, Concord.
		Grace Ruth Leighton	"	21		Tel. operator	Concord	Edward Leighton	Sanbornton	Molder	1st	
								Selecta S. Currier	Suncook	Housewife.		
		Joseph Lacroix	"	23		Mill operative	Salmon Falls	Ambroise Lacroix	Canada	Laborer	1st	
5	"							Marie Gosselin	St. Lambert, P. Q.	Housek'p'r		Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
		Marie Celanire Lapointe	"	22		" "	St. Joseph de Lévis, P. Q.	Jean Lapointe	St. Joseph de Levis	Carpenter	1st	
								Célina Bégin	" "	Housewife.		
		Frank Austin Marsh	"	27		Coachman	Belmont	Lyman Marsh	Gilford	Teamster	1st	
10	"							Roxana B. Howe	Holderness	Housewife.		Rev. Geo. F. Babbitt, Laconia.
		Annie Ellis Moore	Concord, Vt.	27		Laundress	Concord, Vt.	Charles N. Streeter	West Concord, Vt.	Farmer	2d	
								Mary L. Ellis	Brattleboro, Vt.	Housewife.		
		Joseph Peter Fortier	Laconia	28		Mill operative	St Julian de Wolfstown, Q.	Louis Fortier	Broughton, P. Q.	Farmer	1s	
11	"							Catherine Giguére	" "	Housewife.		Rev. G. H. Rice, Laconia.
		Marie Naïse Hébert	"	23		" "	St. Pierrre de Broughton.	Jean Hébert	" "	Miner	1st	
								Marie Fortier	" "	Housewife.		
		Henry Arthur Ewens	Meredith	21		Farmer	Stanstead Plain, P. Q.	George R. Ewens	Morgan, Vt.	Farmer	1st	
12	"							Rosilla Bowen	Bolton, P. Q.	Housewife.		Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
		Amy Blanche Hopkins	New Hampt'n	20		At home.	Hebron	Elbridge S. Hopkins	Camden, Me.	Farmer	1st	
								Malania A. Muzzey	Hebron	Housewife.		

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15	Laconia....	James Samuel Power.	Westboro, Ms	24	All White.	Florist.....	Brookline Ms	John Power.....	Manchester, Eng..	Florist.....	1st	Rev. G. H. Rice, Laconia.
								Sarah Howe.....	St. Johns, N. B....	Housewife.		
		Rita Linwood Busiel.....	Laconia.....	19		At home... .	Laconia.....	Fred B. Busiel.	Sandwich.....	Engineer ..	1st	
								Annabel Waring	Gilford	Housewife.		
22	"	Joseph Richard Dulac	"	31		Laborer.....	St. Joseph de Beauce, P. Q.	Joseph Dulac.....	St. Joseph de Beauce	Laborer	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Delina Bolduc.....	Ste. Marguerite, Q.	Housewife.		
		Marie Célanire Lacasse....	"	28		Mill operative	Ste. Marg. de Dorchester Q.	Edward Lacasse.....	"	Farmer .. .	1st	
								Philomene Normand.	"	Housewife.		
27	"	Frank Rose Potter.....	"	21		Laborer.....	Highland NY	Leonard Potter.....	Highlands, N. Y .	Farmer	1st	Rev. Geo. F. Babbett, Laconia.
								Ann Eliza Wyant...	"	Housek'p'r		
		Daisy Belle Reynolds-.....	"	16		Domestic	Vale Perkins, P. Q.	Wooster J. Reynolds	Masonville, P. Q..	Farmer	1st	
								Lillian E. Elliott....	Vale Perkins, P. Q.	Housek'p'r		

MONTH OF OCTOBER.

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3	Laconia...	George Albert Clement....	East Tilton ..	21	All white.	Laborer.....	Woburn Mass	Albert A. Clement...	Warren.....	Farmer....	1st	Rev. Wm. Porter Niles, Laconia.
								Emily E. Page	Woburn, Mass.....	Housewife.		
		Mabel Ethel Earle.....	" "	18		At home.....	Chicago, Ill.	Amasa H. Earle.....	Burke, N. Y.	Salesman ..	1st	
								Jennie L. McAuley..	New York, N. Y...	Housewife.		
9	Gilmanton.	Willis Palmer Lamprey...	Laconia.....	37		Salesman.....	Gilford	Charles H. Lamprey.	Gilmanton	Retired	1st	Rev. L. C. Graves, Gilmanton.
								May Palmer.....	Hampton	Housewife.		
		Idella May Drew	Gilmanton...	37		Teacher.....	Gilmanton...	J. Horace Drew.....	Barnstead.....	Retired	1st	
								Laura A. Plummer..	Gilmanton.....	Housewife.		
9	Laconia....	James Andrew Smith.....	Laconia.....	33		Weaver.....	Lowell, Mass	Owen J. Smith.....	Ireland	Carder	1st	Rev. I. W. Coakley, Bristol.
								Annie M. Donnally..	"	Housewife.		
		Mary Ellen Eagan.....	"	34		Mill operative	Laconia	John M. Eagan.....	Cork, Ireland.....	Laborer....	1st	
								Mary A. Breen	Leeds, Eng.....	Housewife.		
10	"	Harry Earle Philbrook	"	23		Livery St.....	East Tilton..	Lester Philbrook....	Sanbornton	Livery St .	1st	Rev. John B. Jordan, Laconia.
								Anna J. Johnson.....	Bow	Housewife.		
		Evelyn Frances Semple....	"	23		Book-keeper..	Laconia	John A. Semple... ..	Newburyport, Mass	Tinsmith ..	1st	
								Lizzie M. Hinckley..	Lagrange, Me.....	Housewife.		
12	"	Clarence Allie Moulton....	"	25		Laborer.....	Corinth, Vt .	George C. Moulton..	Corinth, Vt.....	Farmer.....	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Eliza J. Burroughs..	" "	Housewife.		
		Anna Belle Hoyt..... ...	"	33		Domestic	Topsham, Vt.	George W. Farnham	Topsham, Vt.....	Farmer.....	2d	
								Lucy Magoon.....	" "	Housewife.		

17	Laconia....	Albert Everett Moore.....	Littleton, Mass.	23	All white.	Clerk	Littleton, Mass.	James F. Moore.	Charlestown, Mass.	Painter ...	1st	Rev. G. H. Rice, Laconia.
								Louisa A. Wetherbee	Boxboro, Mass....	Housewife.		
		Laura Adella McLeod.....	Laconia.....	23		At home.....	Richmond, P. Q.	John McLeod.....	Edinburgh, Scot...	Mason.....	1st	
								Mary Wheeler.....	Dublin, Ireland....	Housek'p'r		
23	"	George Millard Peabody ..	Hyde Park, Mass.	23		Salesman....	Hyde Park, Mass.	John M. Peabody...	Dracut, Mass.....	Grocer.....	1st	Rev. Lewis Malvern Portland, Me.
								Mary J. Taylor.....	Belmont	Housek'p'r		
		Emma Louise Sanders.....	Laconia.....	22		Teacher.....	Cambridge, Mass.	George A. Sanders..	Laconia	Merchant..	1st	
								Addie E. Currier.....	"	Housewife.		
29	"	Joseph Blais.	"	22		Knitter	St. Pierre de Broughton Q.	François Blair.....	St Elzear de Beauce	Laborer....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Marie Dion.....	" "	Housewife		
		Amanda Tousignant... ...	"	22		Mill operative	Arthabaska..	Onésime Tousignant.	Arthabaska, P. Q.	Laborer....	1st	
								Josephine Perreault..	" "	Housewife.		

MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

3	Laconia....	Lewis Ebenezer Tallier....	Manchester ..	20	All white.	Laborer.....	Amesbury, Mass.	Joseph E. Tallier....	Quebec, P. Q.....	Blacksmith	1st	Rev. Geo. F. Babbitt, Laconia.
								Amanda Wilson.....	Nashua	Housewife.		
		Edna Mary Brown.....	Laconia.....	17		Mill operative	Campton.....	Daniel C. Brown ...	Holderness	Shoemaker.	1st	
								Emma A. Sanborn...	Campton.....	Housewife		
7	Penacook ..	Fred Alvin Phelps.....	"	26		Book-keeper.	Groton.....	Charles O. Phelps....	Groton.....	Supt streets	1st	Rev. John E. Whitley, Penacook.
								Ellen Esty.....	"	Housek'p'r		
		Maude Hortense Ripley ...	Penacook....	26		At home.....	Waite, Me. ..	Edward Ripley.....	Calais, Me.....	Lumb'rman	1st	
								Lucy H. Bagley	Waite, Me.	Housek'p'r		
20	Laconia....	*Wong Myers...	Laconia.....	39	*	Laundryman.	Chow King China.	Wong Hing	China.....	Carpenter..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Y'gime	"	Housewife.		
		Marie Helene A. Laforest..	"	37		Mill operative	Riviére Verte P. Q.	Alex Laforest.....	Province Quebec...	Laborer..	1st	
								Helene Coté.....	St. Helene, P. Q..	Housewife.		
25	"	Louis Adolphe Paquet. ...	Lawrence. Mass	24		Painter	Victoriaville. P. Q.	Antoine Paquet.....	StChas. Bellechasse	Painter.....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Marie Bonneville....	" "	Housewife.		
		Marie Vitaline St. Onge ...	Laconia	24		Mill operative	" "	Leandre St. Onge....	St. Pie, P. Q.	Teamster ..	1st	
								Celanire Dubois.. ...	Victoriaville, P. Q.	Housewife.		
25	"	Dominique Belaire....	"	23		Stone mason.	L'Original, Prov. Ont....	Olivier Belaire.....	L'Original, Ont...	Farmer ...	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Celina Paquette.....	" "	Housewife..		
		Marie Delina Lapointe- ...	"	20		Mill operative	Ste. Henedine P. Q.	Joseph Lapointe.....	St. Justine de Dorch.	Farmer.....	1st	
								Marie Ponliot.....	" "	Housewife.		
26	"	Onésime Chatigny.....	"	24		Knitter.....	St. Jean, Chrystome Q.	John Chatigny	Povince Quebec....	Laborer....	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Zoe Gosselin	St. Nicolet, P. Q...	Housek'p'r		
		Marie Lucie St. Jacques....	"	23		Mill operative	Newbury, Vt.	John St. Jacques.,....	St. Hyacinth, P. Q.	Farmer	1st	
								Marie Bresette	Province Quebec...	Housewife.		
26	"	Henry Provençal.	"	29		Carpenter ...	St. Johnsbury, Vt.	Etienne Provençal ...	St. Joseph le Beauce	Carpenter..	1st	Rev. J. Monge, Laconia.
								Josephine Vachon....	" "	Housewife.		
		Marie Melina Lortie.....	"	22		Mill operative	Ste. Marg'rite	Edmund Lortie	Ste. Marguerite, Q.	Laborer....	1st	
								Eulalie Girard	Buckland, P. Q....	Housewife.		

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NOVEMBER.---Continued.

Date.—1900.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation	Marriage.	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married.
29	Laconia....	John Edward Foley	Lynn, Mass..	33	White.	Shoe-maker..	Keene.....	John B. Foley	Co. Kerry, Ireland	Laborer....	1st	Rev. C. R. Hennon, Laconia.
		Mary Walsh.	Laconia	32		Waitress.....	L'nc'sh'eEng	Hannah Murphy.....	Queenstown, Ire.	Housewife.		
								Joseph Walsh	Lancashire, Eng...	Weaver....	1st	
								Mary McGrath.....	Dublin, Ireland....	Housewife.		

MONTH OF DECEMBER.

3	Laconia....	George A. Sanders.....	Laconia.....	49	All white.	Manufacturer	Gilford.....	George W. Sanders..	Gilford	Farmer	2d	Rev. Richard L. Swain Laconia.
								Sarah Smith	Alton.....	Housewife.		
		Estelle Maude Dockham...	"	30		Vocal teacher	Laconia	Smith E. Dockham	....	Carpenter..	1st	
								Amanda Pickering ..	Meredith	Housek'p'r		
3	"	Charles John Burns.....	"	23		Laborer.....	Concord.....	Freeman Burns.	.....	Molder.....	1st	Simeon C. Frye, J. P. Laconia.
								Katherine Carroll....	Inverness, P. Q....	Housewife.		
		Annie McDonald...	"	26		Domestic	TryonPrEdIs	Joseph McDonald....	England	Tailor.....	1st	
								Elizabeth McNeil-...	Wallace, N. S.....	Housewife.		
10	"	Hugh David Cruikshank...	"	24		Teamster	Sunny Brae, N. S.	Peter Cruikshank....	.....	Farmer....	1st	Rev. J. E. Everingham, Laconia.
								Lena Polson..... . ..	Scotland.....	Housek'p'r		
		Minnie Gertrude Davis....	"	21		At home... .	Laconia.....	Gilbert H. Davis.....	Bayfield, Wis.	Mason.....	1st	
								Mary J. Conant.....	Lyme	Housewife.		
11	"	William Charles Bartlett...	"	28		Teamster	Salem, Vt....	Stephen Bartlett	England	Laborer. ..	2d	Rev. J. Roy Dinsmore, Laconia.
								Alma Berrose.....	Beebe Plain, Vt.....	Housewife.		
		Rena Ethel Drew..... ...	"	19		Housekeeper.	Holderness ..	Charles F. Drew.....	.....	Mill oper..	1st	
								Fannie Carr.....	Stoneham, Mass. .	Housek'p'r		
17	"	William Shaw Young.....	"	24		Barber.....	Laconia.....	Alexander Young....	Manchester.....	Mill oper...	1st	Rev. J. Roy Dinsmore, Laconia.
								Ella B. Piper.....	Gilford	Housek'p'r		
		Martha Gertrude Aldrich..	"	18		At home. ...	Fitchburg, Mass.	Charles F. Aldrich...	"	Painter	1st	
								Ella Lovering.....	Worcester, Mass...	Housek'pr.		
24	"	Asa Kimball Cole	"	18		Mill operative	Laconia	George W. Cole.....	Whitefield	Bookkeep'r	1st	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
								Nellie S. Bunker.....	Tamworth	Housewife.		
		Nettie May Dockham.....	"	17		At home.....	Barnstead....	Orrin A. Dockham..	Gilford	Blacksmith	1st	
								Mary E. Young.....	"	Housek'pr.		
25	"	Alden Crooker.....	"	67		Harn'ssm'ker	Minot, Me. .	Daniel Crooker.....	Minot, Me.	Farmer....	2d	Rev. W. H. Getchell, Laconia.
								Joanna Morton... ...	" "	Housewife.		
		Anna Dorcas Sanborn ...	"	62		Housekeeper.	Sweden, Me..	William Libby.....	Gorham, Me.	Carpenter..	3d	
								Apphil Harmon	Buxton, Me..	Housewife.		

Births Registered in the City of Laconia, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1900.

MONTH OF JANUARY.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
5	William Joseph	M		L	5	All white.	Leander Gagnon	Demerise Dupont	All white.	Laconia	Blacksmith	Trois Pistoles, P. Q.	Standon, P. Q.
5	Frederick George	"		"	4		Fred'k G. Partington	Dorcas Daisy Tenny		"	Clergyman	Liverpool, Eng	Franklin Falls,
8	Marie		F	"	1		Sylvia Amyotte	Emma Marchand		"	Laborer	St. Augustin, P. Q.	St. Maurice, P. Q.
9	Lillian Frances		"	"	4		Julius Boulia	Nellie J. Hill		"	Lumber Mfr.	Sherrington, P. Q.	Springfield
11	Harry George	"		"	1		George Adam West	Margaret M. Stowers		"	Laborer	England	East Boston, Mass.
15	Christina Florence		"	"	1		Ducan McLennan	Minnie F. Flynn		"	Tel. lineman	Sidney, Cp. Breton Is	Baddeck, Cp. Breton I
17	Maiie Lea		"	"	10		Pierre Jacques	Marie Carrignan		"	Knitter	Ste. Marie, Beauce, Q	Brandon, Vt
25	Daniel Clark	"		"	2		Jonathan RoyDiesmore	Mary Addie Babcock		"	Clergyman	New Haven, Conn.	Manchester

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
1	Clifton Bernard	M		L	2	All white.	George W. Tarlson	Mary H. Avery	All white.	Laconia	Merchant	Campton	Rumney.
2	Bernice Daisy		F	"	16		David Poulin	Marie Corriveau		"	Laborer	St. François de Beauce	St Edward, P. Q
6	Frances		"	"	6		James P. Conway	Julia A. Estel		"	Merchant	Manchester	Newport, Vt
10	Joseph Emile	"		"	2		Thomas Vachon	Malvina Cahier		"	Blacksmith	St. Frederic, P. Q.	Ascot Corner, P. Q.
11	Zella May		"	"	11		Frank W. Frost	Ella F. Blake		"	Teamster	Haverhill, Mass.	Ashland.
12	Stella Mary		"	"	1		William Carrigan	Charlotte Tyler		"	Laborer	Bakke Hollow, Vt	Miles Pond, Vt
14			"	"	9		Hercule Gagné	Emelie Boulay		"	Stone-mason	Baie St. Paul, P. Q.	Ste. Sophie, P. Q.
25			"	"	6		Leander L. Evans	Lizzie M. Richardson		"	Machinist	Holderness	Gilford

MONTH OF MARCH.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
2	Edna Helena		F	L	2	All white.	Arthur H Lord	N. Helen Brownlow	All white.	Laconia	Tr. Salesman	Somersworth	Flodden, P. Q.
3	Lawton Buzzell	M		"	1		George A. Quimby	Edna May Buzzell		"	Clerk	Boscawen	Gilford
5	Mina Frances		"	"	1		Harry E. Moore	Susan M. Abbott		"	Teamster	Gilford	Rumney.
11	Marie Olivine		"	"	4		Joseph Vallière	Philomène Fugére		"	Molder	Ste. Genevieve, P. Q.	St. Luc, P. Q.
12	Marie Clara Yvonne Ema		"	"	3		Ludger Levasseur	Malvina Nadeau		"	Laborer	Arthabaska, P. Q.	St. Antonin. P. Q.
16	Mildred Luella		"	"	1		Arthur Eben Berry	Mary Eliza Jewell		"	Brass finisher	Dover	Laconia
18	Marie Olivine Lillian		"	"	10		Joseph Girouard	Amanda Perrault		"	Carpenter	Stanfold, P. Q.	St. Paul, P. Q.
19	Josephine		"	"	12		Thomas Clare	Bridget Fitzpatrick		"	Laborer	Co. Clare, Ireland	Co. Clare, Ireland
19	Neva Elizabeth		"	"	3		Frank H. Glines	Mary Leman		Northfield	"	Laconia	Northfield
20	George Leon	"		"	3		Robert L. Barlow	Augusta Etta Yale		Laconia	Mechanic	Danville, P. Q.	Durham, P. Q.
29	Earl Francis	"		"	1			Mary Jane Duffy				Nashua	

MONTH OF APRIL.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
1	.....		F	Stb	1	All white.	Hiram R. Elliott	Bertha E. Folsom.....	All white.	Laconia ...	Express agent.	Laconia.....	Laconia.....
5	Vena Elizabeth.....		"	L	4		Charles W. White.....	Annie M. Davis		"	Blacksmith....	Farmington	Gilford.....
5	Joseph Wilfred	M		"	2		Charles Paquette, Jr. ..	Emma Mercier		"	Laborer.....	Wolfstown, P. Q.....	D'Israeli, P. Q.....
8	Marie Georgiana.		"	"	3		Charles Labrecque.....	Georgiana Gilbert		"	"	Broughton, P. Q.....	Thetford, P. Q.....
9	.....	"		Stb	1		Austin H. Bennett.....	Leora M. Cook.....		"	Butcher.....	Gilford	Gilford .....
18	Joseph Homére Zenon....	"		L	1		Joseph Jules Fortin.....	Marie Elmire Daoust..		"	Mill operative..	Buckland, P. Q.....	Laconia.....
21	Jos. Alphonse Langelus..	"		"	8		Philias Landry	Malvina Fecteau.....		"	Laborer.....	Ste. Marie, P. Q.....	St. Joseph, P. Q.....
21	Murl....		"	"	1		Edward F. Hines.....	Maude Brownsett.....		Maine.....	.....	.....	Gilford.. .....
23	Glendon Orvis.....	"		"	1		Charles O. Hopkinson.	Addie L. Knowles....		Laconia....	Molder.....	Epping..	Sanbornton.....
24	Alice Maud.....		"	"	5		Robert W. Fitzpatrick.	Elsie Maude Tanner...		"	"	Brockville, Ontario..	Chippenhen, Eng....
28	George Arthur.....	"		"	3		James Jordan.....	Flora Loranger.....		"	Blacksmith	St. Sylvestre, P. Q...	St. Paul, P. Q.....
29	Addison Lewis	"		"	1		Eddie D. Sargent.....	Marie Emma Belanger		"	Needlemaker..	East Concord.....	East Concord, Vt....
30	Kathleen Agnes.....		"	"	1		Joseph DeForge	Agnes A. Bartlett.....		"	Shoemaker.....	Canada	Canterbury.....

MONTH OF MAY.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
4	Percy Elmer.....	M		L	1	All white.	Charles F. Pease	Elizabeth M. Fahey....	All white.	Laconia....	Mill operative .	Lennoxville, P. Q....	Inverness, P. Q.....
5	Marie Hermine.....		F	"	6		George Maltais.....	Celanire Dupont.		"	" "	Rochester	St. Malachie, P. Q...
6	....		"	"	1		Richard P. Darling ...	Ella M. Tuttle.....		"	Barber.....	North Woodstock....	Belmont .....
6	.....		"	"	2		Richard P. Darling....	Ella M. Tuttle.		"	"	" "	"
6	Joseph Louis Raymond..	M		"	5		Napoleon Boisvert	Rosa D. Boisvert.....		"	Brickmaker....	St. Zepherin, P. Q...	St. Zepherin, P. Q...
10	Joseph Arthur Clarence..	"		"	10		Chas. Laroche.....	Marie Lacroix		"	Laborer...	Keysville, N. Y.....	Keysville, N. Y.....
14	Marie Delia..... ..		"	"	3		Pierre Arthur Bilodeau	Delia Fortier		"	"	Windsor Mills, P. Q.	St.PierredeBrought'n
17	Irene		"	"	2		Charles W. Bennett.. .	Lucy M. Cass....		"	Painter	Moultonboro	Chelsea, Mass.....
18	Doris Althea....		"	"	3		Charles L. Beaman....	Sarah A. Clement.... ..		"	Laborer	Brooklyn, N. Y.....	Sandwich.. .....
20	Dorothy Hathaway		"	"	1		Greenwood H. Knight..	Louisa P. Clement.....		"	Dentist	Dexter, Me.....	Woburn, Mass.....
21	Ethel Marion.....		"	"	1		Will Oscar Batchelder.	Jennie S. McKay.. ...		"	.....	Worcester, Mass.....	No. Ely, P. Q.....
21	Violet May.....		"	"	1		Albert Roby	Gertrude E. Pickering.		"	Express agent.	....	Laconia.....
22	Onida Emma Albia.....		"	"	3		Arthur L. Trahan.....	Lucie Provençal		"	Electrician.....	Tilton.....	Broughton, P. Q.....
29	Gladys Fidelia.....		"	"	1		Ralph B. Gilman	Josephine R. Chapman		"	Laborer.....	Bradford, Vt.	Laconia.....
30	Harold Jameson.....	M		"	1		Amos J. Dinsmoor.....	Mabel J. Smith.....		"	Book-keeper ...	Laconia.....	Hillsboro Bridge ....

MONTH OF JUNE.

2	Helen Catherine			L	1	All white.	Richard M. Jenkins	Ellen F. Fitzgerald	Laconia	Drug clerk	Newport	Laconia
2	Marjorie Pearl		F	“	4		Geo. W. Davis	Ruby Mabel Harding	“	Tel. operator	Lyme	Vershire, Vt.
7	Lizzie Emma		“	“	1		Henry T. Colbath	Dora May Tinker	“	Laborer	Sanbornville	Lawrence, Mass.
8	William Henry	M		“	1			Mereline Labrecque	“			Canada
8	Rexford Clifton	“		“	6		William C. Trendall	Mary Courtois	“	Musician.	London, Eng.	Ogdensburg, N. Y.
8	Dorothy Cheney		“	“	2		Geo. A. Collins	Georgia Alice Cheney	“	Druggist	Manchester	Franklin
15	Kenneth Joseph	“		“	3		Elmer Stephen Tilton	Lillian G. Harrington	“	Manufacturer	Gilford	Gilford
17	Joseph Eugene Napoleon	“		“	1		Joseph Morin	Zerilla Couture	“	Molder	Ham Nord, P. Q.	St. Damien, P. Q.
18		“		Stb	4		Walter H. Pitman	Flora Jackman	“	Merchant	Laconia	Bradford
20			“	“	9		Charles J. Beaupre	Zelia Octeau	“	Mill operative	Derby Line, Vt.	Canada
22	Ernest	“		L	8		Napoleon Begin	Adeline Laroche	“	Laborer	St. Joseph de Levis, Q	Ste. Agathe, P. Q.
22	Marie Hermine		“	“	9		Napoleon Begin	Adeline Laroche	“	Laborer	“ “	“
23	Grace L.		“	“	4		John L. Perkins	Nellie M. Dolloff	“	Section man	Meredith	Moultonboro
23	Marie Emilia Anna		“	“	8		William L. Delorey	Emelie Jodoin	“	Blacksmith		St. Albans, Vt.
23	Marie Regina		“	“	10		Theophite Fecteau	Hermeline Lepage	“	Mill operative	Broughton, P. Q.	St. Alphonse de Jolli.
25	Florence Sarah		“	“	1		Wm. H. Malburn	Sarah E. Watson	“	Barber	Hartford, Vt.	East Tilton
26	Marie Willia		“	“	1		Cyrilla Gilbert	Mathilda Levasseur	“	Molder	Stanfold, P. Q.	Arthabaska, P. Q.
28	Raymond Clyde	“		“	5		Isaie Malouin	Catherine Guay	“	Carpenter	Stanstead Plain, P.Q.	Ste. Agathe, P. Q.
28	Marie Anna Elisa Corinne		“	“	2		Alphonse F. Fournier	Leda Nadeau	“	Laborer	St. Jean Portjoli, P.Q.	St. Antonin. P. Q.

MONTH OF JULY.

5	Alzena Rosamond		F	L	2	All white.	James E. Maloney	Ella May Batchelder	Laconia	Hotel clerk	Island Pond, Vt.	Wentworth
5	Herbert Freeman	M		“	1		Joseph F. Lafleur	Carrie G. Webster	“	Blacksmith	Bolton, P. Q.	Compton, P. Q.
6				Stb	3		Chas. W. Abbott	Emma J. Smith	“	Artist	Manchester	Potsdam, N. Y.
7	Marie Delphine Nora		“	L	8		Archille Lapointe	Zelia Belanger	“	Mill operative	St. Joseph de Levis, Q	L'Islet, P. Q.
7	Joseph Edward Albert	“		“	5		Arcadus Chabot	Emilie Gosselin	“	Molder	St. Isidore, P. Q.	St. Anselme, P. Q.
8	Maria Gratia Abbie		“	“	1		Joseph A. D. Huot	May B. A. Decelles	“	Mill operative	Ashland	Richmond, P. Q.
9	Joseph Eugene	“		“	1		Edward Paradis	Demerise Poiré	“	Molder	Wolfstown, P. Q.	Bethlehem
10	Rudolph Cyrille	“		“	3		William J. Sheen	Marguerite A. Jacques	“	Knitter	Lake Village	Laconia
10	Marie Elise		“	“	8		Albert Marchand	Mathilda Fugére	“	Farmer	Stanfold, P. Q.	Stanfold, P. Q.
14	Norman Prescott	“		“	1		Arthur C. S. Randlett	Ida E. Brenton	“	Grocer	Belmont	Hull, Mass.
16	Marie Clara Croteau		“	“	3		Louis Napoleon Croteau	Anaise Turgeon	“	Laborer	St. Sylvestre, P. Q.	St. Malachie, P. Q.
16	Marie Anna Ida		“	“	2		John B. Coté	Odelie Martin	“	Stone-mason	Canaan	Tramtown, P. Q.
21	Felix Alfred	“		“	9		George Deronin	Delvina Bonlette	“	Laborer	St. Joseph de Beauce Q.	St. Joseph de Beauce Q.
22	John Lamprey	“		“	1		Frank Carleton Merrill	Christianna O. Lamprey	“	Piano tuner	Gilford	Gilford
22	Edmond George	“		“	6		George Riel	Celia M. Dufresne	“	Machinist	St. Jean d'Iberville, Q.	Rock Island, P. Q.
23	Marie Marguerite Belle		“	“	9		Nicholas Anger	Georgiana Guay	“	Teamster	St. Norbert, P. Q.	Pointe Levis, P. Q.
26			“	Stb	3		Harlan W. Pierson	Lena L. Carleton	“	Carpenter	Pierrepont, N. Y.	Laconia
31	Helen Doris		“	L	1		David J. Hagens	Helen M. Gaskill	“	Molder	Canada	St. Johnsbury, Vt.
31	Raymond Swain	“		“	1		Roscoe H. Plummer	Ida May Swain	“	Machinist	Sanbornton	Meredith

MONTH OF AUGUST.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Sex and Condition: Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
1	Leland Everett	M		L	3	All white.	Oscar Everett Brigham	Mary Lizzie Corliss	All white.	Laconia	Laborer	West Newton, Mass.	Laconia
5	Joseph Edward Leon	"		"	4		Geo. Fortunat Lapierre	Marie Delia Lessard		"	Painter	Quebec, P. Q.	Broughton, P. Q.
6	Henry Alexander	"		"	2		Edwin M. Brawn	Mary A. Murray		"	Tinsmith	Gilford	Hampden, P. Q.
6	Graham Tyler	"		"	1		Geo. W. Mcfaffey	Katherine L. Taylor		"	Gn. Sec. YMCA	Marietta, Penn.	Salem, N. J.
8	Fanny Isabelle		F	"	2		Ralph C. Boyd	Annie Francis Goulet		"	Photographer	East Boothbay, Me.	Somersworth
9			"	"	2		Ira E. Fifield	Jennie F. Wilkinson		"	Cabinet maker.	Dorchester	Plymouth
9	Bernice Freda		"	"	7		Harley W. Carey	Alice L. Baldwin		"	Ins. agent	Jay, Vt.	Gilford
9	Alice Ruth [drith		"	"	8		Harley W. Carey	Alice L. Baldwin		"	"	"	"
9	Marie Lena Anna Mel.		"	"	2		Chas. Fernando Joyal	Sadie M. Colby		"	Machinist.	St. François du Lac, Q.	Bristol
12	Margaret Anna		"	"	2		Nathan A. Brown	Christine G. Hendricks		"	"	Ayer, Mass.	Northumberland
14			"	"	2		Wm. A. Plummer	Ellen F. Murray		"	Atty.-at-law	Gilmanton	Canaan
15	Joseph Henri	"		"	3		Louis Bedard	Henrietta Vigneault		"	Laborer	St. Julie de Beauce, Q.	La Côte de Labrador Q
17	Edward Normand	"		"	2		Charles H. Cadieux	Melina Doucette		"	"	St. Mathiase, P. Q.	St. Geo. de Windsor, Q.
20	Daisy May		"	"	3		Edward E. Arnold	Florence M. Smith		"	Mill operative	Tuftonboro	So. Tamworth
21	Louise Beatrix		"	"	4		Désire Parent	Zenaïde Boulet		"	Laborer	Ste. Marie, P. Q.	St. Joseph, P. Q.
22	Louis Cyrille William	"		"	1		Alphonse Gilbert	Mathilda Jacques		"	"	Sacre Coeur de Marie	St. Sylvester, P. Q.
27		"		Stb	14		Napoleon Barre	Elizabeth Metivier		"	"	St. Jean, P. Q.	Canada
28	Marie Eugénie Oliva		"	L	1		Joseph P. Nadeau	Josephine Girouard		"	Mason	St. Antonin, P. Q.	Stanfold, P. Q.
29	Ethel May		"	"	1		Edwin C. Wells	Ida May Baker		"	Painter	New Hampton	Laconia

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child, (if any.)	Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child.	Color.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
2	Beatrice Georgiana		F	L	2	All white.	Bruno F. A. Dagenais.	Marie Georgiana Girard	All white.	Laconia	Mill operative.	Sault-au-Recollet, Q.	Sherbrooke, P. Q.
3	Ellery Gale	M		"	1		Charles Bell Hibbard	Mary Eastman Gale		"	Atty.-at-law	Laconia	Laconia
3	John Ernest	"		"	1		Albion J. Gilman	Bertha F. Norteman		"	Teamster	Tamworth	No. Attleboro, Mass.
8	Emma E.		"	"	2		Walter H. Webster	Edna A. Morrison		"	Laborer	Lakeport	Bridgewater
8	Leroy Remington	"		"	3		Charles H. Bucklin	Clara M. Lawrence		"	Shoe cutter	Grafton	Manchester
16	Helen Mildrcth Cochran		"	"	3		Martin Johnson	Florence D. Wiggin		"	Hostler		Moultonboro
17	Mark O'Donnell.	"		"	1		Chas. Edw'd Kavanagh	Bridgett O'Donnell		"	Tr. salesman	So. Berwick, Me.	Greenoch, Scotland
18	Jos. Ar. Dom'que Lorando	"		"	3		Joseph Groleau	Georgiana Audet		"	Mill operative	St. Ephrem de Frinz	Ste. Marguerite, P. Q.
18	John Belknap	"		"	1			Mary Marchand		"			St. Maurice, P. Q.
19	Mary Susan		"	"	2		Robert H. McMurphy.	Ida M. Dolloff		"	Molder	Derry	Moultonboro

27	Odile Yvonne Meldrith..	F	L	1	White.	Edward T. Morin.....	Marie Anne Chabot...	White.	Laconia....	Mill operative..	Laconia.....	St. Lazare de Bell'ch.
28	Nellie Winifred.....	"	"	1		Fred B. Dearborn.....	Leah V. Smith.....		"	Machinist	Manchester.....	Halafax, N. S.....
29	Irene Elmina....	"	"	2		Ai O. Cox.....	Grace E. Whitten.....		"	Barber.....	Holderness.....	Gilford ....
29	Emily Cecile.....	"	"	S		Frank W. Stevens.....	Alice M. Duffy..... ..		"	Mill operative..	Lake Village.....	Nashua..... ....

MONTH OF OCTOBER.

1	Ralph Davis.....	M	L	3	All white.	Franklin P. Neal	Nellie M. Davis.....	All white.	Laconia....	Machinist.....	Laconia..... ...	Gilford .....
8	Marie Louise Yvonne....	F	"	11		Onésime Tousignant...	Josephine Perrault.		"	Laborer.....	St. Pierre, P. Q.....	St. Pierre, P. Q.. ...
8	Alice Winnifred.....	"	"	1		William D. Veasey....	Winnifred Alice Gilbert		"	Att'y-at-law ...	Benton.....	Gilford.....
12	Joseph Felix..... ...	"	"	S		Narcisse Dionne..... ..	Felecitie Michand.....		"	Laborer.·.....	St. Thomas, P. Q ..	Rivière Blanche, P.Q.
20	Linwood Claude.....	"	"	6		Frank P. Gove.....	Bertha Garland.....		"	"	Henniker.....	Ellsworth, Me.....
21	Walter Adams.....	"	"	7		Benj. F. Rollins.....	Eliza A. Bailey..... ..		"	Knitter	Gilford..	Richmond, P. Q.....
22	John Francis Crockett...	"	"	2		Fred W. Huston.	Annie M. Emerson....		"	Farmer	Wilmington, Mass...	Concord.....
25	....	"	"	2		Joseph L. Whitten. ...	Carrie W. Russell.....		"	Tr. Salesman..	Boston, Mass.....	Newport, Me .....
26	.....	"	Stb	2		Ludger J. Loranger....	Marie G. E. Nadeau...		"	Blacksmith....	St. Paul de Chester, Q	Buckland, P. Q.....
28	Marie Leda Germaine....	"	L	4		Adelard Begin.....	Leonie Lacasse.....		"	Mill operative..	St. Joseph de Levis Q	Ste. Marguerite, P.Q.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

1	Charles Joseph.	M	L	1	All white.	Ludger Roy.....	Mary Beaulieu.	All white.	Montreal Q.	Laborer	Montreal, P. Q ..	Canada ... ...
4	Andre Felix.....	"	"	1		Louis Larumiée..	Delvina Drouin.... ...		Laconia....	Mill operative..	Plattsburg, N. Y.....	Broughton, P. Q.....
4	Edward Robert	"	"	6		Edward Hamilton.....	Lucinda Laraway		"	Teamster	Sherbrooke, P. Q ...	Franklin Falls.....
6	Marie Zora Carmen..	F	"	5		Joseph Lemay.....	Salomée Brulotte		"	Laborer..	Arthabaskaville, P.Q	St. Joseph de Levis Q.
12	Aurus Edgar	"	"	5		Joseph Caron.....	Lucia Pouliot.....		"	Mill operative..	Somerset, P. Q. ..	Somerset, P. Q . .
13	Bertha Elizabeth	"	"	5		Charles A. Ward	Isa May Elliott.....		Medford Ms	Express clerk.	Lewiston, Me	Laconia.....
15	Marie Delina.....	"	"	3		Joseph A. Morency....	Marie E. Ada Girard..		Laconia...	Mill operative.	St. Roch de Quebec..	Sherbrooke, P. Q....
18	Joseph Achille Wilfred..	"	"	3		Alfred Toussaint.....	Demerise Landry.....		"	Laborer..	St. Jean Port-Joli, Q.	Broughton.. . .....
18	Joseph Felix Edmond....	"	"	1		Joseph H. Roucher...	Marie Philomene Blais		"	Clerk	Keysville, N. Y.....	Nashua .....
23	Marie Agnes Clementine	"	"	1		Charles J. Tucker.....	Marie A. Beauchêne...		"	Knitter..... ...	Lincoln, Me..	Arthabaskaville, P.Q.
24	David Edward.....	"	"	3		Geo. C. Stafford.....	Regino E. Whittaker..		"	N't watchman..	Carroll..... ...	South Durham, P. Q.
25	John Russell.....	"	"	3		Lewis S. Perley.....	Clara E. Knowlton ..		"	Farmer	Laconia	Meredith..... ....
28	Muriel Mandana.....	"	"	2		Aldert Griffin.....	Ida A. Howe		"	Wood worker..	Hatley, P. Q.....	Hatley, P. Q.....

MONTH OF DECEMBER.

1	Joseph Henri	M	L	1	All white.	Alphonse Dutil	Marie C. Vaillancourt..	All white.	Laconia....	Laborer	Cranbourne, P. Q ...	Broughton, P. Q. ...
5	Joseph Henri	"	"	3		Joseph Brulotte	Mary Lacriox		"	Mill operative..	Canada	Keysville, N. Y.....
7	Justin....	"	"	7		Thomas A. Perry	Elizabeth M. Girard...		"	Laborer..	HighgateSprings, Vt.	St. Catherine, P Q..
9	Edualdo Antonia.....	"	"	3		Lorenzo Baldi.....	Maria Poggio.....		"	Fruit dealer....	Salicetta, Italy.	Salicetta, Italy. .. ..
15	George Edward.....	"	"	4		Alfred Alphonse Daoust	Elise Normandin.....		"	Molder.	Beauharnois, P. Q ..	St. Luc de Tr Rivières
21	Marie Georgiana....	F	"	4		Geogoire Bondreau....	Marie Cormier.....		"	Laborer	Esquimaux Pt., Lab.	Esquimaux Pt., Lab.
21	Maria Rose Anna.....	"	"	16		Zepherin Caron.....	Desanges Lavertus ..		"	Molder.....	St. Thomas, P. Q	St. Jean Chrysostome
22	Edward Francis.....	"	"	2		William H. Rand	Annie E. Eagan....		"	Laborer.....	Laconia.....	Laconia .. ..
25	Grace Helen.....	"	"	1		Clayton V. Stanley	Lizzie A. Morrill.....		"	Plumber.. . . .	New York, N. Y.....	Enfield .....
30	Joseph Olidas Raoul.....	"	"	1		Joseph H. A. Levasseur	Marie Celina Vachon..		"	Laborer.....	Arthabaska, P. Q....	Broughton, P. Q.....
30	Helen Gertrude.....	"	"	4		John Dunleavy....	Nora Whalen.....		"	Laborer.....	Co. Clare, Ireland....	Co. Clare, Ireland....

Deaths Registered in the City of Laconia, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1900.

MONTH OF JANUARY.

Date of Death.	Name, surname and place of death of the deceased.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Age. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth. Father.	Place of Birth. Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
3	Joseph Emile Lacasse		3	10	Laconia	M	All white.			Ste. Marguerite	Broughton, P. Q.	Ludger Lacasse	Delphine Vaillancourt
11	Climena B. Fogg	88	7	20	Meredith	F		W	Housekeeper	Deerfield	New Hampton	Jonathan Cram	Margaret Fogg
12	Mary J. Whitten	30	11	30	Ashland	"		M	Housewife	Ireland.	Ireland.	Patrick O'Neil.	Mary Flemming.
12	Maria Clinton	88		18	Sandwich	"		W	Housekeeper			Nicholas Bean	Lydia Brown
12	George Hennessey.	57			Quebec, P. Q.	M		M	Laborer	Ireland	Canada	William Hennessey	Elizebeth Carson
14	Thomas Joseph Emery	4	3	13	Laconia	"				Hatley, P. Q.	Laconia	Albert E. Emery.	Annie E. Fitzpatrick
14	Margaret M. B. Read	68	1	24	Warren, R. I.	F		M	Housewife	Warren, R. I.	Warren, R. I.	Ambrose Barnaby	Hannah Phinney
17	Anna Swain	62			Strafford.	"		"	"		Gilmanton	Andrew D. Leighton	Mary J. Hackett
19	Joseph N. A. Lefebvre.		1	13	Laconia	M				St. Bazile, P. Q.	Quebec, P. Q.	Narcisse Lefebvre	Mathilda Caron
19	Florence Mary Leavitt	11	1	10	Gilford.	F				Laconia	London, Eng.	Thomas E. Leavitt	Mary A. McCarthy
22	John Leavitt	57			Co. Kerry, Ireland	M		M	Watchman	Co. Kerry, Ireland	Co. Kerry, Ireland	John Leavitt	Bridget Bagley
23	Joseph E. B. Dagenais		S	5	Laconia	"				Sault-an-Récollet	Sherbrooke, P. Q.	Bruno F. A. Dagenais	Marie G. Girard
23	Willred A. Théberge		2	22	"	"				Quebec, P. Q.	Broughton, P. Q.	Alfred Théberge	Marie Landry.
23	George E. Nelson	30	4	23	Sutton.	"		S	Clerk	Sutton	Hopkinton.	Harris B. Nelson	Clara S. Sargent

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.

Date of Death.	Name, surname and place of death of the deceased.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Age. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth. Father.	Place of Birth. Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
2	Henry F. Rublee	73	1	27	Plattsburg, N. Y.	M	All white.	M	Blacksmith	Montpelier, Vt.		Norman Rublee	Sophronia Wilder
3	Mehitable Davis	95	1	20	Gilmanton	F		W	Housekeeper.	Gilmanton		Edward Smith	
6	John Chatigny	70				M		M	Laborer			John Chatigny	
7	Joseph Adelard Paquette	13	6	3	Buckland, P. Q.	"		S		Beaumont, P. Q.	Beaumont, P. Q.	Cyrille Paquette	Arthemise Audet
7	Daniel Elkins	51	7	26	Thornton	"		W	Dentist.	Alton	Scotland	William Elkins	Roseann Elkins
9	William Joseph Gagnon		1	5	Laconia	"				Trois Pistoles, Q.	Standon, P. Q.	Leandre Gagnon	Demerise Dupont
13	Honoré Corriveau	21	11	19	"	"		S	Mill operative	St. Anselme, P. Q.	Point Levis, P. Q.	Anselme Corriveau	Celina Gnay
14	(Infant) Gagné				"	F				Baie St. Paul, Q.	Ste. Sophie, P. Q.	Hercule Gagné	Emelie Boulay
18	Karl Mathäsius	30	2	1	Germany	M		M	Knitter	Germany		Thomas Mathäsius	
20	Marie Amyotte		1	12	Laconia	F				St. Augustin, P. Q.	St. Maurice, P. Q.	Sylvia Amyotte	Emma Marchand
22	Nelson Laramée	84	2		Canada	M		M		Canada	Canada	John Laramée	Josephine
24	John C. Pickering	66		27		"		"	Carpenter	Loudon	Maine	Andrew Pickering	Mehitable Rowe
25	(Infant) Evans				Laconia	F				Holderness	Gilford	Leander Evans	Lizzie M. Richardson
28	Mahala A. Rublee	74	1	5	Meredith	"		W	Housekeeper	Meredith	Meredith	Nathaniel Robinson	Mahala Moses

MONTH OF MARCH.

1	Thomas Vachon	2	9	3	Laconia	M	All white.	...	St. Frederick Q.	Ascot Cor. P. Q.	Thomas Vachon	Malvina Cahier
2	Samuel G. Chamberlin	77	4	24	Merrimack	"		M Mechanic	Bedford	ChelmsfordMass.	Samuel Chamberlin	Charlotte Dunn
2	Eliza Blaisdell	76			Belmont	F		W Housekeeper			John Gale	Betsey Blaisdell
9	James F. Conway	41	11	10	Manchester	M		M Cigar Mfg.	Ireland	Ireland	Patrick Conway	Catherine Larkin
14	George W. Hale	59		5	Campton	"		S Shoemaker	Newbury, Mass.	OnAtlanticOcean	Thomas J. Hale	Mary A. Paxton
20	J. Hoyt Sargent	62	3	4	Canterbury	"		M Machinist	Loudon	Loudon	Joshua Sargent	Belinda Haynes
23	Jonathan C. French	87	3		Loudon	"		W Carpenter	Candia	Candia	James French	Elizabeth Foote
26	John G. Donovan	78		7	Sanbornton	"		M Blacksmith	Ireland	Sanbornton	James Donovan	Elizabeth Gilman
29	John Boardman, Sr.	80			Trois Rivière, PQ.	"		W Contractor	Canada	Canada	John Boardman	Caroline Lahaise
31	Elbridge Gerry Ladd	56			Gilmanton	"		M Farmer	Gilmanton	Sanbornton	Gould D. Ladd	Betsey C. Chase
31	Frank Perley Batchelder	53		4	Loudon	"		" Laborer	Loudon	Loudon	Abram G. Batchelder	Rebecca Fifield

MONTH OF APRIL.

(b) 2	David Calderwood	81	2	13	Kilmanock, Scot.	M	All white.	W Farmer	Scotland	Scotland		
2	(Infant) Elliott				Laconia	F			Laconia	Laconia	Hiram R. Elliott	Bertha E. Folsom
2	Olive B. Leavitt	79	5		Centre Harbor	"		W	Centre Harbor	Wolfeboro	James Bartlett	O. Libby
3	Amos Chase Dow	70	3	14	Deering	M		" Tinsmith	Weare	Deering	Daniel G. Dow	Liza Chase
3	Sarah Frances Anderson	60	8	7	Gilmanton	F		" Housekeeper	Gilmanton	Weare	Joses Moulton	Sarah Barnard
6	Thomas Leavitt	88			Co. Kerry, Ireland	M		M Laborer	England	Ireland	Christopher Leavitt	
8	Ira C. Downs	23	10	24	Portsmouth	"		S Clerk	Isles of Shoals	New York, N. Y.	Levi W. Downs	Katherine M. Sheridan
9	(Infant) Bennett				Laconia	"			Gilford	Gilford	Austin H. Bennett	Leora M. Cook
9	Bertha Evelyn Elliott	22	3	3	"	F		M Housewife	Upper Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Frank R. Folsom	Sarah A. Davis
14	Rosie A. Fitz	21	7	16	Boston	"		" "	Ireland	Kilkeney, Ireland	John Carter	Belle Barton
20	Myrtie L. Hilliard	6	8	20	Laconia	"		S	Laconia	Gilmanton	Orrin G. Hilliard	Annie Robinson
22	Abiah Ayer	87	6		Gilford	"		W Housekeeper				
23	Charles A. Moses	1		18	Laconia	M			Groton	Gilford	Stephen D. Moses	Laura E. Campbell
23	Minnie B. Rowe	28	3	9	Whitewater, Wis.	F		M Housewife	Belmont	Stanstead Plain	James B. Taylor	Nancy Taylor
25	Alphonse J. Brulotte	22	10	10	St. Joseph de Levis	M		S Forem'n knitting	Canada	Canada	Frederick Brulotte	Elise Boulange
27	Alice Maude Fitzpatrick			7	Laconia	F			Brockville, Ont.	Chippenhen, Eng.	Robert W. Fitzpatrick	Elsie Maude Tanner
29	Henry L. Wilkinson	61	8	28	Holderness	M		M Hotel proprietor			Samuel Wilkinson	Eliza Smith
29	Jennie M. Howland	55	8	21	Eden, Vt.	F		W	Concord	Johnson, Vt.	James Stearns	Lydia Patch

MONTH OF MAY.

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1	Jane J. Waring	72	11	6	Old Bradford Eng	F	All white.	M	Housewife	Old Bradford Eng		J. Jacobs	A. Nevel
2	Kathleen Agnes DeForge			2	Laconia	"				Canada	Canterbury	Joseph DeForge	Agnes A. Bartlett
8	(Infant) Darling			2	"	"				North Woodstock	Belmont	Richard P. Darling	Ella M. Tuttle
8	(Infant) Darling			2	"	"				" "	"	Richard P. Darling	Ella M. Tuttle
11	Simeon Roby	67		5	Warner	M		M	Minister	Warner	Warner	James Roby	Eliza Waldron
16	Helen G. Smith	50		14	Gilford	F		"	Housewife	Gilford	Canada	Benjamin Dow	Mary Eames
19	Ezma M. True Swain	0	5	19	Salem, Mass	"				"	Rumney	Walter H. True, M. D.	Alta C. Swain
24	Joseph S. Thyng	82	11	4	Gilford	M		W	Upholsterer	Brentwood	Danville	Joseph Thyng	Apphia Sleeper
29	Sarah E. Roberts	79	4	8	North Hampton	F		M	Housewife			——— Leavitt	——— Drake
30	Marie Eva Beaulé	4	2	9	Laconia	"				Quebec, P. Q.	Petite Matane, Q.	Joseph Beaulé	Pressile Savard
30	Josiah Davis	72	8		Gilmanton	M		M	Molder		Gilmanton	Josiah M. Davis	Mehitable Smith

MONTH OF JUNE.

3	Thomas Ham	83	3	10	Canterbury	M	All white.	M	Retired	Canterbury	Canterbury	Joseph Ham	Susan Sargent
6	Frank J. Osgood	69	5	12	Gilford	"		"	Machinist	Gilford	Gilmanton	Dudley P. Osgood	Eliza Raulet
8	James P. McCarthy	3	6	3	Laconia	"				Ireland	Quebec, P. Q.	James J. McCarthy	Mary E. Hennessey
10	Freddie Tremblay	5			Ashland	"				L'Islet, P. Q.	St. Joseph de Levis	Joseph Tremblay	Marie J. Leclerc
13	Lois J. Davis	68	4	11	Gilford	F		W	Housewife	Gilmanton	Meredith	John Jewett	Hannah Thurston
16	Marie Georgiana Roy	1	2	6	Laconia	"				St. François, P. Q.	St. Jean Chrys. P. Q.	David Roy	Arthemise Lavertu
18	(Infant) Pitman				"	M				Laconia	Bradford	Walter H. Pitman	Flora Jackman
19	Joseph N. E. Lemay	1	8	26	"	"				Arthabaskaville	St. Joseph de Levis	Joseph Lemay	Salomé Brulotte
20	(Infant) Beaupré				"	F				Derby Line, Vt.	Canada	Charles J. Beaupré	Zelia Octeau
22	Samuel Wheeler	68	8		Perkinsville, Vt.	M		M		Marlboro		Benjamin F. Wheeler	Mary Ewen
25	Charles E. Small	42	5	28	Pittsfield, Mass.	"		"	Policeman	Bowdoinham Me.	Bowdoinham Me.	Stanley Small	Martha Campbell
25	Orrin H. Dame	57	2	5	Gilford	"		"	Carpenter	Durham	Gilford	Richard Dame	Eliza Plummer
27	Archelaus C. Wyman	76	11	26	Portsmouth	"		"	Retired				

MONTH OF JULY.

1	Dorothy H. Knight			1	11	Laconia	F	All white.		Dexter, Me.	Woburn, Mass.	Greenwood H. Knight.	Louisa P. Clement
6	Mary A. Dow	67		4	23	Gilford	"		M	Housewife	— Dearborn		
6	(Infant) Abbott.					Laconia	"				Manchester	Potsdam, N. Y.	Charles W. Abbott	Emma J. Smith
7	Hannah Y. Wyman	78				Gilmanton.	"		W	Housekeeper	Gilmanton	Bath, Me	Joseph Clifford	Clarissa Clifford
7	Sadie E. K. Tremblay	35			19	Jersey City, N. J.	"		M	Housewife.	Centre Harbor	Hunter's Pt., N.Y.	James T. Knowles	Elizabeth Doherty
10	Hiram M. Ray	60		9	18	Sanbornton Sq.	M		W	Wheelwright	Meredith.	Alexandria	Nathaniel Ray	Mary Lock.
25	Mary Ann Thatcher.	45					F		W	Housekeeper				
23	Elizabeth M. H. Frye.	85		7	23	Gilmanton	"		"	Housewife	Exeter	Gilmanton.	Samuel Hall	Mary Weymouth
23	Fred A. Richardson.	25		1	8	Laconia	M		S		Manchester	Moultonboro	Charles H. Richardson	Nancy J. Brown
20	(Infant) Pierson					"	F				Pierrepont, N. Y.	Laconia	Harlan W. Pierson	Lena L. Carleton
30	Elizabeth W. Mansur	89		8	9	Wilmington, Ms.	"		W	Housewife.	Mass.	Mass.	Timothy Foster	Eunice Jenkins

MONTH OF AUGUST.

5	Louise B. Trippleton	41		9		Wolfstown, P. Q.	F	All white.	W	Housewife.	Pointe Levis, P.Q.	St. Antoine, P. Q.	Frank Boucher	Eliza Daigle
10	Marie Delia Bilodeau			2	26	Laconia	"				Winds'r Mills, "	Broughton, P. Q.	Pierre Arthur Bilodeau	Delia Fortier
11	Earl Francis Dufly			4	12	"	M					Nashua		Mary Jane Duffy
14	(Infant) Plummer					"	F				Gilmanton	Canaan	William A. Plummer	Ellen F. Murray.
15	Albert Young.			10		Manchester	M							
21	Annabelle C. Trainor	21	11	15		Laconia	F		S	Organist	Ireland	Newport, Vt.	Philip H. Trainor	Hannah Corcoran
22	Seth Frank Sleeper	48	3	19		Vilton	M		M	Carpenter	Alton	Alton	Jonas Sleeper	Mary Rollins
27	(Infant) Barre.					Laconia	"				St. Jean, P. Q.	Canada	Napoleon Barre	Elizabeth Metivier
28	Joseph J. Gagné				3	"	"				St. Elzear, P. Q.	St Frederick, P.Q.	Louis Gagné	Vitaline Faucher
28	Felix Saintive	69					"							
28	Sarah M. Nelson	81		6	13	Barnstead	F		W	Housekeeper	Lee	Lee	James Randall	Lydia Bean

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER.

1	Joseph E. N. Morin			2	14	Laconia	M	All white.		Ham Nord, P. Q.	St. Damien, P. Q.	Joseph Morin	Marie Z. Couture
3	Lemira C. Colby m	65		7	6	Warren	F		W	Housekeeper	Warren	Warren	Reuben French	Elsie Batchelder
5	George A. Jordan.			4	7	Laconia	M				St. Sylvester, P.Q.	St. Paul de Chester	James Jordan	Flora Lorenger
7	Henry Joseph Girard.	71				Canada	"		"	Shoemaker	France	Ireland	Joseph S. Girard	Elizabeth Murphy
9	Joseph William Morrissette			11	2	Laconia	"				Nicolet, P. Q.	St. Marie, P. Q.	Joseph Morrissette	Marie Lecourt
9	Arthur Sevigny	1				Victoriaville, P Q.	"				Tingwick, P. Q.	St. Romnald, "	Antoine Sevigny	Elise Gosselin
11	Willis N. Gile			5	11	Lawrence, Mass.	"				East Tilton	Danville, P. Q.	Frank J. Gile	Mary Andrews
15	Eliza Otis	37				Canada	F		M	Housewife				
15	Loren E. Lockwood	23		9	22	Springfield, Vt.	M		S	Fireman	Chester, Vt.	Afton, N.Y.	Hiol P. Lockpood	Mary J. Hall
15	Joseph Greenwood						"						Sina Greenwood	
16	Marie Anna Ida Coté			1	28	Laconia	F				Canaan	Trampton, P. Q.	John B. Coté	Odelie Martin
18	Irene F. Huse	61		8	25	Boston.	"		M	Housewife			James M. Goodwin	Sara Marsh
25	Ellery Gale Hibbard				22	Laconia	M				Laconia	Laconia	Charles B. Hibbard	Mary E. Gale
26	Hannah Holahan	61		5	26	Ireland	F		"	Housewife	Ireland	Ireland	Daniel McKean	Katherine McDonough
28	Alice Ruth Carey			1	19	Laconia	"				Jay, Vt.	Gilford	Harley W. Carey	Alice L. Baldwin
29	Elmira A. Steele	63		1	26	Meredith	"		"	Housewife	Meredith	Meredith	Samuel Dolloff	Mary Webster

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4	Levi C. Grant	73	7	24	Gilmanton	M	All white.	W	Farmer	Gilmanton	Northwood	Samuel Grant	Hannah Durrell
6	Rita Elizabeth Shepard	1	11	20	Claremont	F						Fred S. Shepard	Gertrude E. Sturtevant
7	Grace L. Perkins		3	14	Laconia	"				Meredith	Moultonboro	John E. Perkins	Nellie M. Durrell
10	Laura Bessie Neal	28	2	8	Bristol	"		M	Boxmaker	Boston	Warner	Edward H. Rice	Mary A. Dubia
17	Joseph A. D. L. Groleau			20	Laconia	M				Canada	Canada	Joseph Groleau	Georgiana Lapointe
17	Ernest Vachon	4	7	3	"	"				St. Frederic, P.Q.	St. Pierre, P. Q.	Alfred Vachon	Marie Cyr
19	Julia M. Locke	71	8	9	Sandwich	F		W		Sandwich	Sandwich	Benj. Currier	Ruhamah Jewell
20	Marie Clara Croteau		3	4	Laconia	"				St. Sylvestre, P.Q.	St. Malachie, P Q.	Louis N. Crotcau	Anaise Turgeon
23	Charles H. Pickering		2		Meredith	M				Meredith	New Hampton	Charles H. Pickering	Jennie Chase
26	(Infant) Loranger				Laconia	"				St. Paul de Chester	Buckland, P. Q.	Ludg r J. Loranger	Marie G. E. Nadeau
27	Bridget Leavitt	81			Ireland	F		W	Housewife	Ireland	Ireland	Morris Fitzgerald	Ellen Garvey
27	Raphael Dionne	3		2	Barford, P. Q.	M				Biddeford, Me.	Biddeford, Me.	Ludger Dionne	Delia Godbout

MONTH OF NOVEMBER.

Date of death	Name, surname and place of death of the deceased.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Age. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth. Father.	Place of Birth. Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
1	Lewis J. Nichols	52	6	19	Richmond, P. Q.	M	All white.	M	Painter	Meredith	Cavendish, Vt.	John Nichols	Daraxa M. Hutchinson
11	Joseph A. Bernier	43	5	28	St. Hyacinthe, PQ.	"		"	Merchant	St. Damase, P. Q.	St. Pie, P. Q.	Godfroy J. Bernier	Catherine Phenix
18	Hannah H. Blaisdell	77	4	13	Gilford	F		S	Housekeeper	Gilford	New Durham	Samuel Blaisdell	Hannah Grace
19	Michael Dunlava	75			Ireland	M			Retired	Ireland	Ireland	Charles Dunlava	Bridget Shannon
25	Lydia Alice Davis	62	4	10	Springfield	F		M	Housewife	Springfield	Springfield	Richard Sanborn	Alice Collins
25	John M. Roberts	79	3	22	New Durham	M		W	Retired			John Roberts	
28	Laura B. Day	27	10	10	Gilford	F		M	Housewife	Dickinson, N. Y.	Glover, Vt.	Augustus W. Smith	Mary L. Shaw

MONTH OF DECEMBER.

Date of death	Name, surname and place of death of the deceased.	Age. Years.	Age. Months.	Age. Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Occupation.	Place of Birth. Father.	Place of Birth. Mother.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
3	Nancy J. Sanborn	61	9	8	Gilmanton	F	All white.	M	Housewife	Gilmanton	Long Island	John Dow	Betsey Dow
10	Osgood Paige	86	6	29	Thornton	M		"	Retired	Weare	Weare	Samuel Paige	Jerusha Barnard
12	Aseneth P. Roberts	53			Laconia	F		"	Housewife				
20	Harriet E. J. Stone	74	4	5	East Cambridge	"		W	Housekeeper	North of England	Newburyp't Mass.	John Semple	Susan C. Leslie
21	Calvin Vittum	82			Sandwich	M		M	Retired Farmer	Sandwich	Sandwich	Henry Vittum	Lydia Leach
27	Ralph Erle Taylor	1	1	19	Laconia	"				Sanbornton	Potton, P. Q.	George D. Taylor	Ada L. Levoy

Deaths Occurring at Belknap County Farm, Laconia, N. H.

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Feb25	Ann Ladd	60			Belmont	F	All white.	S					
Apr17	Tamson Rowe	72			Vermont	"		"	Housekeeper				
Jun.22	Bosa Bickford	19			Banstead	"		"					
Aug.3	Terrence Sullivan	30				M							
Oct. 8	Jissie H. Reynolds	25			Northwood	"		M	Laborer				

Bodies Brought to Laconia for Burial.

Jan.12	Daniel H. Hadley, Saubornton	76	9	12	Holderness	M	All white.	W	Carpenter	Weare	Sandwich	Daniel Hadley	Rhoda Page
" 31	Hanun Piper, Tilton	76	4	21	Franklin	"		"	Gardener				
Feb19	Mary Louisa Blanchard, Lincoln		4	16		F				New Brunswick		Peter Blanchard	Grace Robicho
Mar14	Joseph A Rignette, Belmont		7		Belmont	M				Canada	Hooksett	Napoleon Rignette	Malvina Poudrier
" 18	Harry A. Bean, Belmont		8	21	Belmont	"				Belmont	Laconia	Frank A. Bean	Florence M.Parhsley
" 21	Eva Tardif, Lincoln	1	6		Carrigan, N. H.	F				Prov. Quebec		Alphonse Tardif	Dalina Nolet
" 31	Charles Cormier, Lincoln	1	10		Lincoln	M				Caraquet, N. B.	Lac St.John,P.Q.	Joseph Cormier	Mary Harvey
Apr. 7	Sarah Cate, Sanbornton	91	11		Meredith	F		"		Meredith		David Wiggin	Nancy Dockham
" 9	Mary O. A. Noel, Belmont	1	2	29	Belmont	"				Bradford, Vt.	Canada	Fred E. Noel	Odelia Lessard
" 10	Eli Bunker, New Hampton	81	2	21		M							
" 19	Frank Baker, Belmont	27				"		S				Fred Baker	Mary J. Tondreau

BODIES BROUGHT TO LACONIA FOR BURIAL.---Continued.

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Apr 20	Patrick Kelley..... Concord	67			Co. Clare Ireland..	M	All white.	W	Laborer.....	.....	.....	.....	....
" 21	Joseph Fournier..... Plymouth	24			....	"			R. R. employe...	....	.....	.....	....
" 22	Martha M Weeks .... Sanbornton	75	6	18	Sanbornton.....	F		S	.....	Sanbornton.....	Gilford.	Mark Weeks.....	Clarissa Osgood.....
M'y 18	Caroline M. Robinson. Sanbornton	67	7	9	Quincy, Mass....	"		W	Housekeeper.....	Quincy, Mass....	Boston, Mass....	Joshua Cleverly.....	Mary Brawn.. .....
Jul 28	Orran W. Tibbetts..... Weymouth, Mass.	53		20	Barnstead.	M		S	Bank cashier.....	Barnstead.....	Barnstead, N. H.	Israel C. Tibbetts.....	Olive Tibbetts.....
A'g 11	Oliver J. A. Clermont.. Belmont		4		Belmont.....	"			....	St. Maurice, P.Q.	Broughton, P. Q.	Samuel Clermont.....	Amanda Fecteau.....
" 26	Mary A. B. Colby..... Concord	57			Massachusetts ...	F		M	Mill operative....	Maine.....	Tamworth	Albert Whitten.....	Elina Hayford.....
" 28	(Infant) Crowley ..... Belmont			1	Belmont.....	M			.....	Tingwick, P. Q..	St. Giles, P. Q..	Thomas Crowley.....	Josie Cloutier..... ...
Sept. 1	John Henry Laflamme. Meredith		3	28	Meredith..... ..	"			....	Canada	Gonic, Me.....	John E. Laflamme.....	Rose A. Laflamme ....
" 7	Burton Barnard..... Concord	32	2		Vermont	"		M	R. R. brakeman.	Vermont.....	Vermont.....	William Barnard.....	Elizabeth Mason .....
" 13	William Drouin ..... Tilton		3	21	Tilton.....	"			....	Canada	Canada	Richard Drouin.....	Anna Parent.....
Oct. 3	Jonathan W. Sanborn.. Concord	83	7	10	Gilmanton	"		W	Grocer.....	Gilmanton	Gilmanton	Jeremiah Sanborn.....	Lydia Kelley.....
" 4	Alphonse G. A. Tardif. Lincoln		4	11	Lincoln.....	"			.....	Quebec	Quebec	Alphonse Tardif.....	Delina Nolet.....
" 27	Thomas J. Sweatt..... Belmont	55		25	Gilmanton	"		M	Farmer.....	Loudon.....	Milton, Mass.....	Forrest Sweatt.....	Adeline Littlefield.....
N'v 24	Joseph Sanborn.. .. .. Warren	75	3	18	Gilford	"		"	Merchant	Gilmanton	Salisbury, Mass..	Joseph Sanborn.....	Ruth Carter.....
Dec 11	Irene G. Lavallée..... Belmont	3	0	1	Belmont.....	F			.....	Brookline	Claremont.....	Andrew Lavallée.....	Rosa Lavallée.....

Number of marriages 75
Number of births 160
Number of deaths 150
Number of bodies brought to Laconia for burial . . . 27

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